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(As Amended by Sen. Amdt. Schs. "A" & "B" and House Amdt. Sch. "A")

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE SEVERABILITY OF THE  
PROVISIONS OF THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM  
LEGISLATION."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 9-168d of the general statutes is  
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
5 *January 1, 2007*):

6 (b) The registrars of voters in each town, or the legislative body of  
7 the town, shall select as polling places only those sites which meet the  
8 standards of accessibility required under the State Building Code, as

9 revised pursuant to section 29-269, if applicable, or this section. The  
10 registrars of voters in each town shall file with the Secretary of the  
11 State either: (1) A certification, as prescribed by the Secretary of the  
12 State, that states that each polling place selected complies with the  
13 provisions set forth in this subsection, or (2) an application for waiver,  
14 as described in subsection (c) of this section.

15 Sec. 2. Section 9-388 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
16 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2007*):

17 Whenever a convention of a political party is held for the  
18 endorsement of candidates for nomination to state or district office,  
19 each candidate endorsed at such convention shall file with the  
20 Secretary of the State a certificate, signed by him, stating that he was  
21 endorsed by such convention, his name as he authorizes it to appear  
22 on the ballot, his full residence address and the title and district, if  
23 applicable, of the office for which he was endorsed. Such certificate  
24 shall be attested by either (1) the chairman or presiding officer, or (2)  
25 the secretary of such convention and shall be received by the Secretary  
26 of the State not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day after  
27 the close of such convention. Such certificate shall either be mailed to  
28 the Secretary of the State by certified mail, return receipt requested, or  
29 delivered in person, in which case a receipt indicating the date and  
30 time of delivery shall be provided by the Secretary of the State to the  
31 person making delivery. If a certificate of a party's endorsement for a  
32 particular state or district office is not received by the Secretary of the  
33 State by such time, such certificate shall be invalid and such party, for  
34 purposes of section 9-416 and section 9-416a shall be deemed to have  
35 made no endorsement of any candidate for such office. If applicable,  
36 the chairman of a party's state convention shall, forthwith upon the  
37 close of such convention, file with the Secretary of the State the names  
38 and full residence addresses of persons selected by such convention as  
39 the nominees of such party for electors of President and Vice-President  
40 of the United States in accordance with the provisions of section 9-175.

41 Sec. 3. Section 9-391 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes is

42 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
43 *January 1, 2007*):

44 (a) Each endorsement of a candidate to run in a primary for the  
45 nomination of candidates for municipal office to be voted upon at a  
46 municipal election, or for the election of town committee members  
47 shall be made under the provisions of section 9-390, as amended by  
48 this act, not earlier than the fifty-sixth day or later than the forty-ninth  
49 day preceding the day of such primary. The endorsement shall be  
50 certified to the clerk of the municipality by either (1) the chairman or  
51 presiding officer, [and] or (2) the secretary of the town committee,  
52 caucus or convention, as the case may be, not later than four o'clock  
53 p.m. on the forty-eighth day preceding the day of such primary. Such  
54 certification shall contain the name and street address of each person  
55 so endorsed, the title of the office or the position as committee member  
56 and the name or number of the political subdivision or district, if any,  
57 for which each such person is endorsed. If such a certificate of a party's  
58 endorsement is not received by the town clerk by such time, such  
59 certificate shall be invalid and such party, for purposes of sections 9-  
60 417, 9-418, as amended, and 9-419, shall be deemed to have neither  
61 made nor certified such endorsement of any candidate for such office.

62 (b) Each selection of delegates to a state or district convention shall  
63 be made in accordance with the provisions of section 9-390, as  
64 amended by this act, not earlier than the one-hundred-fortieth day and  
65 not later than the one-hundred-thirty-third day preceding the day of  
66 the primary for such state or district office. Such selection shall be  
67 certified to the clerk of the municipality by the chairman or presiding  
68 officer and the secretary of the town committee or caucus, as the case  
69 may be, not later than four o'clock p.m. on the one-hundred-thirty-  
70 second day preceding the day of such primary. Each such certification  
71 shall contain the name and street address of each person so selected,  
72 the position as delegate, and the name or number of the political  
73 subdivision or district, if any, for which each such person is selected. If  
74 such a certificate of a party's selection is not received by the town clerk  
75 by such time, such certificate shall be invalid and such party, for

76 purposes of sections 9-417 and 9-420, shall be deemed to have neither  
77 made nor certified any selection of any person for the position of  
78 delegate.

79 (c) Each endorsement of a candidate to run in a primary for the  
80 nomination of candidates for a municipal office to be voted upon at a  
81 state election shall be made under the provisions of section 9-390, as  
82 amended by this act, not earlier than the eighty-fourth day or later  
83 than the seventy-seventh day preceding the day of such primary. Any  
84 certification to be filed under this subsection shall be received by the  
85 Secretary of the State, in the case of a candidate for the office of state  
86 senator or state representative, or the town clerk, in the case of a  
87 candidate for any other municipal office to be voted upon at a state  
88 election, not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day after the  
89 close of the town committee meeting, caucus or convention, as the case  
90 may be. If such a certificate of a party's endorsement is not received by  
91 the Secretary of the State or the town clerk, as the case may be, by such  
92 time, such certificate shall be invalid and such party, for the purposes  
93 of sections 9-417 and 9-418, as amended, shall be deemed to have  
94 neither made nor certified any endorsement of any candidate for such  
95 office. The candidate so endorsed for a municipal office to be voted  
96 upon at a state election, other than the office of justice of the peace,  
97 shall file with the Secretary of the State or the town clerk, as the case  
98 may be, a certificate, signed by that candidate, stating that such  
99 candidate was so endorsed, the candidate's name as the candidate  
100 authorizes it to appear on the ballot, the candidate's full street address  
101 and the title and district of the office for which the candidate was  
102 endorsed. Such certificate shall be attested by the chairman or  
103 presiding officer and the secretary of the town committee, caucus or  
104 convention which made such endorsement. The endorsement of  
105 candidates for the office of justice of the peace shall be certified to the  
106 clerk of the municipality by the chairman or presiding officer and the  
107 secretary of the town committee, caucus or convention, and shall  
108 contain the name and street address of each person so endorsed and  
109 the title of the office for which each such person is endorsed.

110 Sec. 4. Section 9-404a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
111 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2007*):

112 Petition forms for candidacies for nomination by a political party to  
113 a state office, as defined in section 9-372, or the district office of  
114 representative in Congress shall be available from the Secretary of the  
115 State beginning on the one-hundred-fifth day preceding the day of the  
116 primary for such state and district offices. Petition forms for  
117 candidacies for nomination by a political party to the district office of  
118 judge of probate, state senator or state representative shall be available  
119 from the Secretary of the State beginning on the [day following the  
120 close of the district convention held for the purpose of nominating  
121 such party's candidate for such office] seventy-seventh day preceding  
122 the day of the primary for such office. Any person who requests a  
123 petition form shall give the person's name and address and the name,  
124 address and office sought of each candidate for whom the petition is  
125 being obtained and shall file a statement signed by each such  
126 candidate that such candidate consents to be a candidate for such  
127 office. Each such candidate shall include on the statement of consent  
128 the candidate's name as the candidate authorizes it to appear on the  
129 ballot. Upon receiving such information and statement, the Secretary  
130 shall type or print on a petition form the name and address of each  
131 such candidate, the office sought and the political party holding the  
132 primary. The Secretary shall give to any person requesting such form  
133 one or more petition pages, suitable for duplication, as the Secretary  
134 deems necessary. If the person is requesting the form on behalf of an  
135 indigent candidate or a group of indigent candidates listed on the  
136 same petition, the Secretary shall give the person the number of  
137 original pages that the person requests or the number which the  
138 Secretary deems sufficient. An original petition page filled in by the  
139 Secretary may be duplicated by or on behalf of the candidate or  
140 candidates listed on the page and signatures may be obtained on such  
141 duplicates. The duplicates may be filed in the same manner and shall  
142 be subject to the same requirements as original petition pages. All  
143 information relative to primary petitions shall be a public record.

144 Sec. 5. Subsection (d) of section 9-390 of the general statutes is  
145 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
146 *January 1, 2007*):

147 (d) The selection of party-endorsed candidates in the manner  
148 provided in subsection (a) or (c) of this section and the selection of  
149 delegates to conventions in the manner provided in subsection (b) of  
150 this section shall be made and certified to the clerk of the municipality  
151 or the Secretary of the State, as the case may be, within the time  
152 specified in section 9-391, as amended by this act.

153 Sec. 6. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 9-400 of the general statutes  
154 are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
155 *January 1, 2007*):

156 (a) A candidacy for nomination by a political party to a state office  
157 may be filed by or on behalf of any person whose name appears upon  
158 the last-completed enrollment list of such party in any municipality  
159 within the state and who has either (1) received at least fifteen per cent  
160 of the votes of the convention delegates present and voting on any roll-  
161 call vote taken on the endorsement or proposed endorsement of a  
162 candidate for such state office, whether or not the party-endorsed  
163 candidate for such office received a unanimous vote on the last ballot,  
164 or (2) circulated a petition and obtained the signatures of at least two  
165 per cent of the enrolled members of such party in the state, in  
166 accordance with the provisions of sections 9-404a to 9-404c, inclusive,  
167 as amended by this act. Candidacies described in subdivision (1) of  
168 this subsection shall be filed by submitting to the Secretary of the State  
169 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day following the  
170 close of the state convention, a certificate, signed by such candidate  
171 and attested by either (A) the chairman or presiding officer, or (B) the  
172 secretary of the convention, that such candidate received at least fifteen  
173 per cent of such votes, and that such candidate consents to be a  
174 candidate in a primary of such party for such state office. Such  
175 certificate shall specify the candidate's name as the candidate  
176 authorizes it to appear on the ballot, the candidate's full residence

177 address and the title of the office for which the candidacy is being  
178 filed. A single such certificate or petition for state office may be filed  
179 on behalf of two or more candidates for different state offices who  
180 consent to have their names appear on a single row of the primary  
181 ballot label under subsection (b) of section 9-437. Candidacies  
182 described in subdivision (2) of this subsection shall be filed by  
183 submitting said petition not later than four o'clock p.m. on the  
184 [fourteenth] sixty-third day [following the close of the state  
185 convention] preceding the day of the primary for such office to the  
186 registrar of voters of the towns in which the respective petition pages  
187 were circulated. Each registrar shall file each page of such petition with  
188 the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of section 9-404c. A  
189 petition filed by or on behalf of a candidate for state office shall be  
190 invalid for such candidate if such candidate is certified as the party-  
191 endorsed candidate pursuant to section 9-388, as amended by this act,  
192 or as receiving at least fifteen per cent of the convention vote for such  
193 office pursuant to this subsection. Except as provided in section 9-416a,  
194 upon the expiration of the [fourteen-day period] time period for party  
195 endorsement and circulation and [the completion of the] tabulation of  
196 [petition] petitions and signatures, if any, if one or more candidacies  
197 for such state office have been filed pursuant to the provisions of this  
198 section, the Secretary of the State shall notify all town clerks in  
199 accordance with the provisions of section 9-433, that a primary for  
200 such state office shall be held in each municipality in accordance with  
201 the provisions of section 9-415.

202 (b) A candidacy for nomination by a political party to a district  
203 office may be filed by or on behalf of any person whose name appears  
204 upon the last-completed enrollment list of such party within any  
205 municipality or part of a municipality forming a component part of  
206 such district and who has either (1) received at least fifteen per cent of  
207 the votes of the convention delegates present and voting on any roll-  
208 call vote taken on the endorsement or proposed endorsement of a  
209 candidate for such district office, whether or not the party-endorsed  
210 candidate for such office received a unanimous vote on the last ballot,

211 or (2) circulated a petition and obtained the signatures of at least two  
212 per cent of the enrolled members of such party in the district for the  
213 district office of representative in Congress, and at least five per cent of  
214 the enrolled members of such party in the district for the district offices  
215 of state senator, state representative and judge of probate, in  
216 accordance with the provisions of sections 9-404a to 9-404c, inclusive,  
217 as amended by this act. Candidacies described in subdivision (1) of  
218 this subsection shall be filed by submitting to the Secretary of the State  
219 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day following the  
220 close of the district convention, a certificate, signed by such candidate  
221 and attested by either (A) the chairman or presiding officer, or (B) the  
222 secretary of the convention, that such candidate received at least fifteen  
223 per cent of such votes, and that the candidate consents to be a  
224 candidate in a primary of such party for such district office. Such  
225 certificate shall specify the candidate's name as the candidate  
226 authorizes it to appear on the ballot, the candidate's full residence  
227 address and the title and district of the office for which the candidacy  
228 is being filed. Candidacies described in subdivision (2) of this  
229 subsection shall be filed by submitting said petition not later than four  
230 o'clock p.m. on the [fourteenth] sixty-third day [following the close of  
231 the district convention] preceding the day of the primary for such  
232 office to the registrar of voters of the towns in which the respective  
233 petition pages were circulated. Each registrar shall file each page of  
234 such petition with the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of  
235 section 9-404c. A petition may only be filed by or on behalf of a  
236 candidate for the district office of state senator, state representative or  
237 judge of probate who is not certified as the party-endorsed candidate  
238 pursuant to section 9-388, as amended by this act, or as receiving at  
239 least fifteen per cent of the convention vote for such office pursuant to  
240 this subsection. A petition filed by or on behalf of a candidate for the  
241 district office of representative in Congress shall be invalid if said  
242 candidate is certified as the party-endorsed candidate pursuant to  
243 section 9-388, as amended by this act, or as receiving at least fifteen per  
244 cent of the convention vote for such office pursuant to this subsection.  
245 Except as provided in section 9-416a, upon the expiration of the



246 [fourteen-day period] time period for party endorsement and  
247 circulation and [the completion of the] tabulation of [petition] petitions  
248 and signatures, if any, if one or more candidacies for such district  
249 office have been filed pursuant to the provisions of this section, the  
250 Secretary of the State shall notify all town clerks within the district, in  
251 accordance with the provisions of section 9-433, that a primary for  
252 such district office shall be held in each municipality and each part of a  
253 municipality within the district in accordance with the provisions of  
254 section 9-415.

255 Sec. 7. Subsection (a) of section 9-405 of the general statutes is  
256 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
257 *January 1, 2007*):

258 (a) (1) Candidacies of persons other than party-endorsed candidates  
259 for nomination by a political party to a municipal office to be voted  
260 upon at a municipal election, or for election as town committee  
261 members shall be filed with the registrar, as provided in section 9-406,  
262 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the thirty-fourth day preceding the  
263 day of the primary of such party for the nomination of candidates for  
264 such office or for the election of town committee members. Said day  
265 and hour shall be specified on the petition forms.

266 (2) Candidacies of persons, other than party-endorsed candidates,  
267 for nomination by a political party to a municipal office to be voted  
268 upon at a state election shall be filed with the registrars, as provided in  
269 section 9-406, not later than four o'clock p.m. on the [fourteenth day  
270 following the making of the party's endorsement of a candidate] sixty-  
271 third day preceding the day of the primary for such office. Said day  
272 and hour shall be specified on the petition forms.

273 Sec. 8. Section 9-249 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes is  
274 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
275 *passage*):

276 (a) Before each election, the [municipal clerk,] registrars of voters,  
277 certified moderator and certified mechanic shall instruct the election

278 officials. Any provision of the general statutes or of any special act to  
279 the contrary notwithstanding, election officials shall be appointed at  
280 least twenty days before the election except as provided in section 9-  
281 229. The [clerk,] registrars, certified moderator and certified mechanic  
282 shall instruct each election official who is to serve in a voting district in  
283 which a voting machine is to be used in the use of the machine and his  
284 duties in connection therewith, and for the purpose of giving such  
285 instruction, such instructors shall call such meeting or meetings of the  
286 election officials as are necessary. Such instructors shall, without delay,  
287 file a report in the office of the municipal clerk and with the Secretary  
288 of the State, (1) stating that they have instructed the election officials  
289 named in the report and the time and place where such instruction  
290 was given, and (2) containing a signed statement from each such  
291 election official acknowledging that the official has received such  
292 instruction.

293 (b) The election officials of such voting districts shall attend the  
294 elections training program developed under subdivision (1) of  
295 subsection (c) of section 9-192a, as amended, and any other meeting or  
296 meetings as are called for the purpose of receiving such instructions  
297 concerning their duties as are necessary for the proper conduct of the  
298 election.

299 (c) Each election official who qualifies for and serves in the election  
300 shall be paid not less than one dollar for the time spent in receiving  
301 such instruction, in the same manner and at the same time as the  
302 official is paid for the official's services on election day.

303 (d) No election official shall serve in any election unless the official  
304 has received such instruction and is fully qualified to perform the  
305 official's duties in connection with the election, but this shall not  
306 prevent the appointment of an election official to fill a vacancy in an  
307 emergency.

308 Sec. 9. Section 9-211 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
309 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

310 In case of a vacancy in the office of senator in Congress, the  
311 Governor is empowered to fill such vacancy by appointment as herein  
312 provided. If such vacancy occurs [sixty] one hundred fifty or more  
313 days prior to a state election, the appointee shall serve until the third  
314 day of January following such election, and at such election there shall  
315 be elected a senator in Congress to serve for the remaining portion, if  
316 any, of the term vacated. If such vacancy occurs within less than [sixty]  
317 one hundred fifty days of a state election and the term vacated does  
318 not expire on the third day of January following such election, the  
319 appointee shall serve until the third day of January following the next  
320 such election but one, and at such next election but one there shall be  
321 elected a senator in Congress to serve for the remaining portion, if any,  
322 of the term vacated. If such vacancy occurs within less than [sixty] one  
323 hundred fifty days of a state election and the term vacated expires on  
324 the third day of January following, the appointee shall serve until such  
325 third day of January.

326 Sec. 10. Subdivision (3) of section 9-450 of the 2006 supplement to  
327 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
328 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

329 (3) In the case of a vacancy in the office of senator in Congress  
330 occurring [seventy] one hundred fifty or more days prior to a state  
331 election, the party-endorsed candidate of each party for such office  
332 shall be designated at the state convention of such party held for the  
333 endorsement of candidates for the state offices to be filled at such  
334 election; contesting candidacies for nomination to such office shall be  
335 filed not later than four o'clock p.m. on the [fourteenth] twenty-first  
336 day following the close of such convention; and the primary of such  
337 party for nomination to such office shall be held simultaneously with  
338 the primaries of such party for nomination to the state and district  
339 offices to be filled at such election. If, at the time such vacancy in the  
340 office of senator in Congress occurs, such state convention has already  
341 been closed, it shall be reconvened by call of the chairman of the state  
342 central committee of such party, which call shall be mailed to each  
343 delegate selected for such convention not less than seventy-two hours

344 prior to such reconvening; such reconvened convention shall be closed  
345 not later than the tenth day following the occurrence of such vacancy.  
346 The party-endorsed candidate of such party for such office shall be  
347 designated at such reconvened convention. Contesting candidates for  
348 nomination to such office shall be filed not later than four o'clock p.m.  
349 on the [fifth] twenty-first day following the close of such reconvened  
350 convention. If the primaries of such party for nomination to the state  
351 and district offices to be filled at the state election are held not earlier  
352 than the [twenty-eighth] forty-ninth day following the close of such  
353 reconvened convention, the primary of such party for nomination to  
354 the office of senator in Congress to fill such vacancy shall be held  
355 simultaneously with the primaries of such party for nomination to  
356 such state and district offices; otherwise, the Secretary of the State shall  
357 fix the day for the primary of such party for such nomination to the  
358 office of senator in Congress, which day shall be not earlier than the  
359 [twenty-eighth] forty-ninth day following the close of such reconvened  
360 convention and not later than the twenty-first day preceding the day of  
361 the state election.

362 Sec. 11. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 9-46a of the 2006  
363 supplement to the general statutes are repealed and the following is  
364 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

365 (a) A person who has been convicted of a felony and committed to  
366 confinement in a federal or other state correctional institution or  
367 facility or community residence shall have such person's electoral  
368 privileges restored upon [submission of written or other satisfactory  
369 proof to the admitting official before whom such person presents his or  
370 her qualifications to be admitted as an elector, that] the payment of all  
371 fines in conjunction with the conviction [have been paid] and [that]  
372 once such person has been discharged from confinement, and, if  
373 applicable, parole.

374 (b) Upon the release from confinement in a correctional institution  
375 or facility or a community residence of a person who has been  
376 convicted of a felony and committed to the custody of the

377 Commissioner of Correction and, if applicable, the discharge of such  
378 person from parole, (1) the person shall have the right to become an  
379 elector, (2) the Commissioner of Correction shall give the person a  
380 document certifying that the person has been released from such  
381 confinement and, if applicable, has been discharged from parole, (3) if  
382 the person was an elector at the time of such felony conviction and,  
383 after such release and any such discharge, is residing in the same  
384 municipality in which the person resided at the time of such felony  
385 conviction, the person's electoral privileges shall be restored, [upon  
386 submitting to an admitting official such document or other satisfactory  
387 proof that the person has been released from such confinement and, if  
388 applicable, discharged from parole,] and (4) if the person was an  
389 elector at the time of such felony conviction and, after such release and  
390 any such discharge, is residing in a different municipality or if the  
391 person was not an elector at the time of such felony conviction, the  
392 person's electoral privileges shall be restored or granted upon  
393 submitting to an admitting official [(A)] satisfactory proof of the  
394 person's qualifications to be admitted as an elector, [, and (B) such  
395 document or other satisfactory proof that the person has been released  
396 from confinement and, if applicable, discharged from parole.] The  
397 provisions of subdivisions (1) to (4), inclusive, of this subsection shall  
398 not apply to any person convicted of a felony for a violation of any  
399 provision of this title until such person has been discharged from any  
400 parole or probation for such felony. [No admitting official shall require  
401 that a person under this subsection submit a document from the  
402 Commissioner of Correction, as described in subdivision (2) of this  
403 subsection, in order to prove that the person has been discharged from  
404 confinement and, if applicable, discharged from parole.]

405 Sec. 12. Section 9-212 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
406 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

407 (a) In case of a vacancy in the office of representative in Congress  
408 from any district, the Governor, except as otherwise provided by law,  
409 shall not more than ten days after the occurrence of such vacancy issue  
410 writs of election directed to the town clerks or assistant town clerks, in

411 such district, ordering an election to be held on the sixtieth day after  
412 the issue of such writs on a day, [named,] other than a Saturday or  
413 Sunday, to fill such vacancy, [and] provided (1) if such a vacancy  
414 occurs between the one hundred twenty-fifth day and the sixty-third  
415 day before the day of a regular state or municipal election in  
416 November of any year, the Governor shall so issue such writs on the  
417 sixtieth day before the day of such regular election, ordering an  
418 election to be held on the day of such regular election, (2) if such a  
419 vacancy occurs after the sixty-third day before the day of a regular  
420 state election but before the regular state election, the Governor shall  
421 not issue such writs and no election shall be held under this section,  
422 unless the position vacated is that of member-elect, in which case the  
423 Governor shall issue such writs and an election shall be held as  
424 provided in this section, and (3) if a primary for such office occurs  
425 pursuant to subparagraph (C) of subdivision (1) of section 9-450, as  
426 amended by this act, the Governor shall, within ten days following the  
427 filing of a candidacy for nomination by a person other than the party-  
428 endorsed candidate, issue new writs of election, in place of those first  
429 issued pursuant to this section.

430 (b) The Governor shall cause [them] writs of election issued  
431 pursuant to subsection (a) of this section to be conveyed to a state  
432 marshal, who shall forthwith transmit an attested copy thereof to such  
433 clerks or assistant clerks. Such clerks or assistant clerks, on receiving  
434 such writs, shall warn elections to be held on the day appointed  
435 therein in the same manner as state elections are warned, which  
436 elections shall be organized and conducted as are state elections, and  
437 the vote shall be declared, certified, directed, deposited, returned and  
438 transmitted in the same manner as at a state election.

439 Sec. 13. Subdivision (1) of section 9-450 of the 2006 supplement to  
440 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
441 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

442 [(1) (A) In the case of nominations for representatives in Congress  
443 and judges of probate in probate districts composed of two or more

towns, provided for in sections 9-212 and 9-218, if the writs of election are issued by the Governor on or before the twenty-first day of May in an even-numbered year and the election is to be held on the day of the state election in such year, the state central committee or other authority of each party shall, not later than the twenty-fourth day of May in such year, publish notice of the date for the selection of delegates to the state or district convention to designate the party-endorsed candidate for the office to be filled. Such selection shall be made not earlier than the fifty-sixth day after publication of such notice and not later than the fifth day before the convention. If such writs of election are issued after the twenty-first day of May in such year, or if the election is to be held on any day other than the day of the state election, the day scheduled for the election shall be not earlier than the ninety-first day following the day on which such writs of election are issued. The state central committee or other authority of each party shall, not later than the eighty-fourth day preceding the day of the election, publish notice of the day for the selection of delegates to the state or district convention to designate the party-endorsed candidate for the office to be filled, which day shall be not earlier than the twenty-eighth day following such publication and not later than the fifty-sixth day preceding the day of the election. The selected delegates to such convention shall be certified to the town clerks not later than the twenty-first day preceding the day of such primary. The state or district convention shall be convened not earlier than the fifth day following such primary and closed not later than the forty-ninth day preceding the day of the election. Contesting candidacies for nomination to the office to be filled shall be filed not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fifth day following the close of such convention. The Secretary of the State shall fix the day for the primary of each party for the nomination to the office to be filled, which day shall be not earlier than the twenty-first day following the close of such convention and not later than the twenty-first day preceding the day of the election.]

(1) (A) In the case of nominations for representatives in Congress

478 and judges of probate in probate districts composed of two or more  
479 towns, provided for in sections 9-212, as amended by this act, and 9-  
480 218, the delegates to the convention for the last state election shall be  
481 the delegates for the purpose of selecting a candidate to fill such  
482 vacancy. If a vacancy occurs in the delegation from any town, political  
483 subdivision or district, such vacancy may be filled by the town  
484 committee of the town in which the delegate resided. Endorsements by  
485 political party conventions pursuant to this subsection may be made  
486 and certified at any time after the resignation or death creating such  
487 vacancy and not later than the fiftieth day before the day of the  
488 election. No such endorsement shall be effective until the presiding  
489 officer and secretary of any district convention have certified the  
490 endorsement to the Secretary of the State.

491 (B) If such a vacancy occurs between the one hundred twenty-fifth  
492 day and the sixty-third day before the day of a regular state or  
493 municipal election in November of any year, no primary shall be held  
494 for the nomination of any political party and the party-endorsed  
495 candidate so selected shall be deemed, for the purposes of chapter 153,  
496 the person certified by the Secretary of the State pursuant to section 9-  
497 444 as the nominee of such party.

498 (C) Except as provided in subparagraph (B) of this subdivision, if a  
499 candidacy for nomination is filed by or on behalf of any person other  
500 than a party-endorsed candidate not later than fourteen days after the  
501 party endorsement and in conformity with the provisions of section 9-  
502 400, as amended by this act, a primary shall be held in each  
503 municipality of the district and each part of a municipality which is a  
504 component part of the district, to determine the nominee of such party  
505 for such office, except as provided in section 9-416a. Such primary  
506 shall be held on the day that the writs of election issued by the  
507 Governor, pursuant to section 9-212, as amended by this act, ordered  
508 the election to be held, and new writs of election shall be issued by the  
509 Governor in accordance with section 9-212, as amended by this act.

510 (D) Unless the provisions of subparagraph (B) of this subdivision



511 apply, petition forms for candidacies for nomination by a political  
512 party pursuant to this subdivision shall be available from the Secretary  
513 of the State beginning on the day following the issuance of writs of  
514 election by the Governor pursuant to section 9-212, as amended by this  
515 act, except when a primary has already been held, and the provisions  
516 of section 9-404a, as amended by this act, shall otherwise apply to such  
517 petitions.

518 (E) The registry lists used pursuant to this subsection shall be the  
519 last-completed lists, as provided in sections 9-172a and 9-172b.

520 Sec. 14. Subsection (a) of section 9-183a of the general statutes is  
521 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
522 *passage*):

523 (a) The number of justices of the peace for each town shall be equal  
524 to one-third the number of jurors to which such town is by law  
525 entitled, except in the town of Waterbury the number shall be sixty-  
526 nine, in the town of Trumbull the number shall be [fifteen] thirty, in  
527 the town of Meriden the number shall be thirty-six, and in the town of  
528 Litchfield the number shall be fifteen; provided any town, by  
529 ordinance, may provide for the selection of a lesser number of justices  
530 of the peace for such town as herein provided, which shall be not less  
531 than fifteen.

532 Sec. 15. Subdivision (2) of subsection (g) of section 9-333i of the 2006  
533 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
534 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

535 (2) Unless otherwise provided by this chapter, any campaign  
536 treasurer, in accomplishing the lawful purposes of his committee, may  
537 pay the expenses of: (A) Advertising in electronic and print media; (B)  
538 any other form of printed advertising or communications including  
539 "thank you" advertising after the election; (C) campaign items,  
540 including, but not limited to, brochures, leaflets, flyers, invitations,  
541 stationery, envelopes, reply cards, return envelopes, campaign  
542 business cards, direct mailings, postcards, palm cards, "thank you"

543 notes, sample ballots and other similar items; (D) political banners and  
544 billboards; (E) political paraphernalia, which is customarily given or  
545 sold to supporters including, but not limited to, campaign buttons,  
546 stickers, pins, pencils, pens, matchbooks, balloons, pads, calendars,  
547 magnets, key chains, hats, tee shirts, sweatshirts, frisbees, pot holders,  
548 jar openers and other similar items; (F) purchasing office supplies for  
549 campaign or political purposes, campaign photographs, raffle or other  
550 fund-raising permits required by law, fund-raiser prizes, postage,  
551 express mail delivery services, bulk mail permits, and computer  
552 supplies and services; (G) banking service charges to maintain  
553 campaign and political accounts; (H) subscriptions to newspapers and  
554 periodicals which enhance the candidacy of the candidate or party; (I)  
555 lease or rental of office space for campaign or political purposes and  
556 expenses in connection therewith including, but not limited to,  
557 furniture, parking, storage space, utilities and maintenance, provided a  
558 party committee or political committee organized for ongoing political  
559 activities may purchase such office space; (J) lease or rental of vehicles  
560 for campaign use only; (K) lease, rental or use charges of any ordinary  
561 and necessary campaign office equipment including, but not limited  
562 to, copy machines, telephones, postage meters, facsimile machines,  
563 computer hardware, software and printers, provided a party  
564 committee or political committee organized for ongoing political  
565 activities may purchase office equipment, and provided further that a  
566 candidate committee or a political committee, other than a political  
567 committee formed for ongoing political activities or an exploratory  
568 committee, may purchase computer equipment; (L) compensation for  
569 campaign or committee staff, fringe benefits and payroll taxes,  
570 provided the candidate and any member of his immediate family shall  
571 not receive compensation; (M) travel, meals and lodging expenses of  
572 speakers, campaign or committee workers, the candidate and the  
573 candidate's spouse for political and campaign purposes; (N) fund  
574 raising; (O) reimbursements to candidates and campaign or committee  
575 workers made in accordance with the provisions of this section [9-333i]  
576 for campaign-related expenses for which a receipt is received by the  
577 campaign treasurer; (P) campaign or committee services of attorneys,

578 accountants, consultants or other professional persons for campaign  
579 activities, obtaining or contesting ballot status, nomination, or election,  
580 and compliance with this chapter; (Q) purchasing campaign finance  
581 reports; (R) repaying permissible campaign loans made to the  
582 committee that are properly reported and refunding contributions  
583 received from an impermissible source or in excess of the limitations  
584 set forth in this chapter; (S) conducting polls concerning any political  
585 party, issue, candidate or individual; (T) gifts to campaign or  
586 committee workers or purchasing flowers or other commemorative  
587 items for political purposes not to exceed [fifty] one hundred dollars to  
588 any one recipient in a calendar year or for the campaign, as the case  
589 may be; (U) purchasing tickets or advertising from charities, inaugural  
590 committees, or other civic organizations if for a political purpose, for  
591 any candidate, a candidate's spouse, a member of a candidate's  
592 campaign staff, or members of committees; (V) the inauguration of an  
593 elected candidate by that candidate's candidate committee; (W) hiring  
594 of halls, rooms, music and other entertainment for political meetings  
595 and events; (X) reasonable compensation for public speakers hired by  
596 the committee; (Y) transporting electors to the polls and other get-out-  
597 the-vote activities on election day; and (Z) any other necessary  
598 campaign or political expense.

599       Sec. 16. (NEW) (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections*  
600 *held on or after said date*) (a) Notwithstanding any provision of the  
601 general statutes, no party committee, legislative caucus committee or  
602 legislative leadership committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the  
603 2006 supplement to the general statutes, shall make an organization  
604 expenditure, as defined in subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006  
605 supplement to the general statutes, for the benefit of a participating  
606 candidate or the candidate committee of a participating candidate in  
607 the Citizens' Election Program for the office of state senator in an  
608 amount that exceeds ten thousand dollars for the general election  
609 campaign.

610       (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, no party  
611 committee, legislative caucus committee or legislative leadership

612 committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the  
613 general statutes, shall make an organization expenditure, as defined in  
614 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general  
615 statutes, for the purposes described in subparagraph (A) of  
616 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general  
617 statutes for the benefit of a participating candidate or the candidate  
618 committee of a participating candidate in the Citizens' Election  
619 Program for the office of state senator for the primary campaign.

620 (c) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, no party  
621 committee, legislative caucus committee or legislative leadership  
622 committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the  
623 general statutes, shall make an organization expenditure, as defined in  
624 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general  
625 statutes, for the benefit of a participating candidate or the candidate  
626 committee of a participating candidate in the Citizens' Election  
627 Program for the office of state representative in an amount that  
628 exceeds three thousand five hundred dollars for the general election  
629 campaign.

630 (d) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, no party  
631 committee, legislative caucus committee or legislative leadership  
632 committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the  
633 general statutes, shall make an organization expenditure, as defined in  
634 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general  
635 statutes, for the purposes described in subparagraph (A) of  
636 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general  
637 statutes for the benefit of a participating candidate or the candidate  
638 committee of a participating candidate in the Citizens' Election  
639 Program for the office of state representative for the primary  
640 campaign.

641 Sec. 17. Section 9-717 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes  
642 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
643 *from passage*):

644     (a) If, on or after April fifteenth of any year in which a general  
645     election is scheduled to occur, or on or after the forty-fifth day prior to  
646     any special election scheduled relative to any vacancy in the General  
647     Assembly, a court of competent jurisdiction prohibits or limits, or  
648     continues to prohibit or limit, the expenditure of funds from the  
649     Citizens' Election Fund established in section 9-701 for grants or  
650     moneys for candidate committees authorized under sections 9-700 to 9-  
651     716, inclusive, for a period of [seventy-two] one hundred sixty-eight  
652     hours or more, (1) sections 1-100b, 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive, 9-750, 9-  
653     751 and 9-760 and section 49 of public act 05-5 of the October 25 special  
654     session\* shall be inoperative and have no effect with respect to any  
655     race that is the subject of such court order until December thirty-first of  
656     such year, and (2) (A) the amendments made to the provisions of the  
657     sections of the general statutes pursuant to public act 05-5 of the  
658     October 25 special session\*\* shall be inoperative until December thirty-  
659     first of such year, (B) the provisions of said sections of the general  
660     statutes, revision of 1958, revised to December 30, 2006, shall be  
661     effective until December thirty-first of such year, and (C) the  
662     provisions of subsections (g) to (j), inclusive, of section 9-333n shall not  
663     be implemented until December thirty-first of such year. If, on the  
664     April fifteenth of the second year succeeding such original prohibition  
665     or limitation, any such prohibition or limitation is in effect, the  
666     provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this section shall be  
667     implemented and remain in effect without the time limitation  
668     described in said subdivisions (1) and (2).

669     (b) Any candidate who has received any funds pursuant to the  
670     provisions sections 1-100b, 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive, 9-750, 9-751 and 9-  
671     760 and section 49 of public act 05-5 of the October 25 special session\*  
672     prior to any such prohibition or limitation taking effect may retain and  
673     expend such funds in accordance with said sections unless prohibited  
674     from doing so by the court.

675     Sec. 18. Subsection (c) of section 9-333j of the 2006 supplement to the  
676     general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
677     thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on and*

678 *after said date*):

679 (c) (1) Each statement filed under subsection (a), (e) or (f) of this  
680 section shall include, but not be limited to: (A) An itemized accounting  
681 of each contribution, if any, including the full name and complete  
682 address of each contributor and the amount of the contribution; (B) in  
683 the case of anonymous contributions, the total amount received and  
684 the denomination of the bills; (C) an itemized accounting of each  
685 expenditure, if any, including the full name and complete address of  
686 each payee, including secondary payees whenever the primary or  
687 principal payee is known to include charges which the primary payee  
688 has already paid or will pay directly to another person, vendor or  
689 entity, the amount and the purpose of the expenditure, the candidate  
690 supported or opposed by the expenditure, whether the expenditure is  
691 made independently of the candidate supported or is an in-kind  
692 contribution to the candidate, and a statement of the balance on hand  
693 or deficit, as the case may be; (D) an itemized accounting of each  
694 expense incurred but not paid, provided if the expense is incurred by  
695 use of a credit card, the accounting shall include secondary payees,  
696 and the amount owed to each such payee; (E) the name and address of  
697 any person who is the guarantor of a loan to, or the cosigner of a note  
698 with, the candidate on whose behalf the committee was formed, or the  
699 campaign treasurer in the case of a party committee or a political  
700 committee or who has advanced a security deposit to a telephone  
701 company, as defined in section 16-1, as amended, for  
702 telecommunications service for a committee; (F) for each business  
703 entity or person purchasing advertising space in a program for a fund-  
704 raising affair, the name and address of the business entity or the name  
705 and address of the person, and the amount and aggregate amounts of  
706 such purchases; (G) for each individual who contributes in excess of  
707 one hundred dollars but not more than one thousand dollars, in the  
708 aggregate, to the extent known, the principal occupation of such  
709 individual and the name of the individual's employer, if any; (H) for  
710 each individual who contributes in excess of one thousand dollars in  
711 the aggregate, the principal occupation of such individual, the name of

712 the individual's employer, if any, and a statement indicating whether  
713 the individual or a business with which he is associated has a contract  
714 with the state which is valued at more than five thousand dollars; (I)  
715 for each itemized contribution made by a lobbyist, the spouse of a  
716 lobbyist or any dependent child of a lobbyist who resides in the  
717 lobbyist's household, a statement to that effect; and (J) for each  
718 individual who contributes in excess of four hundred dollars in the  
719 aggregate to or for the benefit of any candidate's campaign for  
720 nomination at a primary or election to the office of chief executive  
721 officer of a town, city or borough, a statement indicating whether the  
722 individual or a business with which he is associated has a contract  
723 with said municipality that is valued at more than five thousand  
724 dollars. Each campaign treasurer shall include in such statement (i) an  
725 itemized accounting of the receipts and expenditures relative to any  
726 testimonial affair held under the provisions of section 9-333k or any  
727 other fund-raising affair, which is referred to in subsection (b) of  
728 section 9-333b, as amended, and (ii) the date, location and a description  
729 of the affair.

730 (2) Each contributor described in subparagraph (G), (H), (I) or (J) of  
731 subdivision (1) of this subsection shall, at the time the contributor  
732 makes such a contribution, provide the information which the  
733 campaign treasurer is required to include under said subparagraph in  
734 the statement filed under subsection (a), (e) or (f) of this section.  
735 Notwithstanding any provision of subdivision (2) of section 9-7b, as  
736 amended, any contributor described in subparagraph (G) of  
737 subdivision (1) of this subsection who does not provide such  
738 information at the time the contributor makes such a contribution and  
739 any treasurer shall not be subject to the provisions of subdivision (2) of  
740 section 9-7b, as amended. If a campaign treasurer receives a  
741 contribution from an individual which separately, or in the aggregate,  
742 is in excess of one thousand dollars and the contributor has not  
743 provided the information required by said subparagraph (H) or if a  
744 campaign treasurer receives a contribution from an individual to or for  
745 the benefit of any candidate's campaign for nomination at a primary or

746 election to the office of chief executive officer of a town, city or  
747 borough, which separately, or in the aggregate, is in excess of four  
748 hundred dollars and the contributor has not provided the information  
749 required by said subparagraph (J), the campaign treasurer: (i) Within  
750 three business days after receiving the contribution, shall send a  
751 request for such information to the contributor by certified mail, return  
752 receipt requested; (ii) shall not deposit the contribution until the  
753 campaign treasurer obtains such information from the contributor,  
754 notwithstanding the provisions of section 9-333h; and (iii) shall return  
755 the contribution to the contributor if the contributor does not provide  
756 the required information within fourteen days after the treasurer's  
757 written request or the end of the reporting period in which the  
758 contribution was received, whichever is later. Any failure of a  
759 contributor to provide the information which the campaign treasurer is  
760 required to include under said subparagraph (G) or (I), which results  
761 in noncompliance by the campaign treasurer with the provisions of  
762 said subparagraph (G) or (I), shall be a complete defense to any action  
763 against the campaign treasurer for failure to disclose such information.

764 (3) In addition to the requirements of subdivision (2) of this  
765 subsection, each contributor who makes a contribution that separately,  
766 or in the aggregate, exceeds one hundred dollars shall provide with  
767 the contribution a certification that the contributor is not a principal of  
768 a state contractor or prospective state contractor, as defined in  
769 subsection (g) of section 9-333n, as amended. If a campaign treasurer  
770 receives such a contribution and the contributor has not provided such  
771 certification, the campaign treasurer shall: (A) Not later than three  
772 business days after receiving the contribution, send a request for the  
773 certification to the contributor by certified mail, return receipt  
774 requested; (B) not deposit the contribution until the campaign  
775 treasurer obtains the certification from the contributor,  
776 notwithstanding the provisions of section 9-333h; and (C) return the  
777 contribution to the contributor if the contributor does not provide the  
778 certification not later than fourteen days after the treasurer's written  
779 request or at the end of the reporting period in which the contribution



780 was received, whichever is later. If a campaign treasurer deposits a  
781 contribution based on a certification that is later determined to be false  
782 and the campaign treasurer did not know and should not have known  
783 that the certification was false, the campaign treasurer's lack of  
784 knowledge of the false certification shall be a complete defense in any  
785 action against the campaign treasurer for depositing the contribution  
786 in violation of this subdivision.

787 (4) Contributions from a single individual to a campaign treasurer  
788 in the aggregate totaling fifty dollars or less need not be individually  
789 identified in the statement, but a sum representing the total amount of  
790 all such contributions made by all such individuals during the period  
791 to be covered by such statement shall be a separate entry, identified  
792 only by the words "total contributions from small contributors".

793 (5) Each statement filed by the campaign treasurer of a party  
794 committee, a legislative caucus committee or a legislative leadership  
795 committee shall include an itemized accounting of each organization  
796 expenditure made by the committee. Concomitant with the filing of  
797 any such statement containing an accounting of an organization  
798 expenditure made by the committee for the benefit of a participating  
799 candidate for the office of state senator or state representative, such  
800 campaign treasurer shall provide notice of the amount and purpose of  
801 the organization expenditure to the candidate committee of such  
802 candidate.

803 (6) In addition to the other applicable requirements of this section,  
804 the campaign treasurer of a candidate committee of a participating  
805 candidate for the office of state senator or state representative who has  
806 received the benefit of any organization expenditure shall, not later  
807 than the time of dissolving such committee, file a statement with the  
808 State Elections Enforcement Commission that lists, if known to such  
809 candidate committee, the committee which made such organization  
810 expenditure for such candidate's behalf and the amount and purpose  
811 of such organization expenditure.

812       [(6)] (7) Statements filed in accordance with this section shall remain  
813       public records of the state for five years from the date such statements  
814       are filed.

815       Sec. 19. Section 9-705 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes  
816       is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
817       *December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

818       (a) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
819       for the office of Governor who has a primary for nomination to said  
820       office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the Citizens' Election  
821       Fund for the primary campaign in the amount of one million two  
822       hundred fifty thousand dollars, provided, in the case of a primary held  
823       in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under subsection  
824       (d) of this section.

825       (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate  
826       for the office of Governor who has been nominated, or who has  
827       qualified to appear on the election ballot in accordance with the  
828       provisions of part III C of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a  
829       grant from the fund for the general election campaign in the amount of  
830       three million dollars, provided in the case of an election held in 2014,  
831       or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of  
832       this section.

833       (b) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
834       for the office of Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State  
835       Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer who has a  
836       primary for nomination to said office shall be eligible to receive a grant  
837       from the fund for the primary campaign in the amount of three  
838       hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, provided, in the case of a  
839       primary held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted  
840       under subsection (d) of this section.

841       (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate  
842       for the office of Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the  
843       State or State Treasurer who has been nominated, or who has qualified

844 to appear on the election ballot in accordance with the provisions of  
845 part III C of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the  
846 fund for the general election campaign in the amount of seven  
847 hundred fifty thousand dollars, provided in the case of an election  
848 held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under  
849 subsection (d) of this section.

850 (c) (1) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and  
851 (b) of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
852 minor party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,  
853 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State  
854 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
855 general election campaign if the candidate of the same minor party for  
856 the same office at the last preceding regular election received at least  
857 ten per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
858 said office at said election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third  
859 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
860 (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same  
861 office, provided (A) if the candidate of the same minor party for the  
862 same office at the last preceding regular election received at least  
863 fifteen per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
864 said office at said election, the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds  
865 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
866 (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same  
867 office, (B) if the candidate of the same minor party for the same office  
868 at the last preceding regular election received at least twenty per cent  
869 of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for said office at  
870 said election, the amount of the grant shall be the same as the amount  
871 of the general election campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of  
872 this section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, and (C) in  
873 the case of an election held in 2014, or thereafter, said amounts shall be  
874 adjusted under subsection (d) of this section.

875 (2) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b)  
876 of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
877 petitioning party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant

878 Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State  
879 or State Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for  
880 the general election campaign if said candidate's nominating petition  
881 has been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least ten  
882 per cent of the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the  
883 last preceding regular election. The amount of the grant shall be one-  
884 third of the amount of the general election campaign grant under  
885 subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the  
886 same office, provided (A) if said candidate's nominating petition has  
887 been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least fifteen  
888 per cent of the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the  
889 last preceding regular election, the amount of the grant shall be two-  
890 thirds of the amount of the general election campaign grant under  
891 subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the  
892 same office, (B) if said candidate's nominating petition has been signed  
893 by a number of qualified electors equal to at least twenty per cent of  
894 the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last preceding  
895 regular election, the amount of the grant shall be the same as the  
896 amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection (a) or  
897 (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, and  
898 (C) in the case of an election held in 2014, or thereafter, said amounts  
899 shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of this section.

900 (3) In addition to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this  
901 subsection, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning  
902 party candidate and the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
903 minor party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,  
904 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State  
905 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a supplemental grant from the  
906 fund after the general election if the treasurer of such candidate  
907 committee reports a deficit in the first statement filed after the general  
908 election, pursuant to section 9-333j, and such candidate received a  
909 greater per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
910 said office at said election than the per cent of votes utilized by such  
911 candidate to obtain a general election campaign grant described in

912 subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection. The amount of such  
913 supplemental grant shall be calculated as follows:

914 (A) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than ten  
915 per cent, but not more than fifteen per cent, of the whole number of  
916 votes cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant  
917 shall be the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the  
918 difference between the percentage of such whole number of votes  
919 received by such candidate and ten per cent and the denominator is  
920 ten, and (ii) two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign  
921 grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party  
922 candidate for the same office.

923 (B) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than fifteen  
924 per cent, but less than twenty per cent, of the whole number of votes  
925 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be  
926 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference  
927 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by  
928 such candidate and fifteen per cent and the denominator is five, and  
929 (ii) one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant  
930 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate  
931 for the same office.

932 (C) The sum of the general election campaign grant received by any  
933 such candidate and a supplemental grant under this subdivision shall  
934 not exceed one hundred per cent of the amount of the general election  
935 campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major  
936 party candidate for the same office.

937 (d) For elections held in 2014, and thereafter, the amount of the  
938 grants in subsections (a), (b) and (c) of this section shall be adjusted by  
939 the State Elections Enforcement Commission not later than January 15,  
940 2014, and quadrennially thereafter, in accordance with any change in  
941 the consumer price index for all urban consumers as published by the  
942 United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during  
943 the period beginning on January 1, 2010, and ending on December

944 thirty-first in the year preceding the year in which said adjustment is  
945 to be made.

946 (e) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
947 for the office of state senator who has a primary for nomination to said  
948 office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the primary  
949 campaign in the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars, provided (A)  
950 if the percentage of the electors in the district served by said office who  
951 are enrolled in said major party exceeds the percentage of the electors  
952 in said district who are enrolled in another major party by at least  
953 twenty percentage points, the amount of said grant shall be seventy-  
954 five thousand dollars, and (B) in the case of a primary held in 2010, or  
955 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this  
956 section. For the purposes of subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, the  
957 number of enrolled members of a major party and the number of  
958 electors in a district shall be determined by the latest enrollment and  
959 voter registration records in the office of the Secretary of the State  
960 submitted in accordance with the provisions of section 9-65. The names  
961 of electors on the inactive registry list compiled under section 9-35  
962 shall not be counted for such purposes.

963 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate  
964 for the office of state senator who has been nominated, or has qualified  
965 to appear on the election ballot in accordance with part III C of chapter  
966 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the general  
967 election campaign in the amount of eighty-five thousand dollars,  
968 provided in the case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter, said  
969 amount shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

970 (f) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
971 for the office of state representative who has a primary for nomination  
972 to said office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
973 primary campaign in the amount of ten thousand dollars, provided (A)  
974 if the percentage of the electors in the district served by said office who  
975 are enrolled in said major party exceeds the percentage of the electors  
976 in said district who are enrolled in another major party by at least

977 twenty percentage points, the amount of said grant shall be twenty-  
978 five thousand dollars, and (B) in the case of a primary held in 2010, or  
979 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this  
980 section. For the purposes of subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, the  
981 number of enrolled members of a major party and the number of  
982 electors in a district shall be determined by the latest enrollment and  
983 voter registration records in the office of the Secretary of the State  
984 submitted in accordance with the provisions of section 9-65. The names  
985 of electors on the inactive registry list compiled under section 9-35  
986 shall not be counted for such purposes.

987 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate  
988 for the office of state representative who has been nominated, or has  
989 qualified to appear on the election ballot in accordance with part III C  
990 of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
991 general election campaign in the amount of twenty-five thousand  
992 dollars, provided in the case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter,  
993 said amount shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

994 (g) (1) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e) and  
995 (f) of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
996 minor party candidate for the office of state senator or state  
997 representative shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
998 general election campaign if the candidate of the same minor party for  
999 the same office at the last preceding regular election received at least  
1000 ten per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
1001 said office at said election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third  
1002 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
1003 (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same  
1004 office, provided (A) if the candidate of the same minor party for the  
1005 same office at the last preceding regular election received at least  
1006 fifteen per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
1007 said office at said election, the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds  
1008 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
1009 (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same  
1010 office, (B) if the candidate of the same minor party for the same office

1011 at the last preceding regular election received at least twenty per cent  
1012 of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for said office at  
1013 said election, the amount of the grant shall be the same as the amount  
1014 of the general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or (f) of  
1015 this section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, and (C) in  
1016 the case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter, said amounts shall be  
1017 adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

1018 (2) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e) and (f)  
1019 of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
1020 petitioning party candidate for the office of state senator or state  
1021 representative shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
1022 general election campaign if said candidate's nominating petition has  
1023 been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least ten per  
1024 cent of the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last  
1025 preceding regular election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third  
1026 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
1027 (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same  
1028 office, provided (A) if said candidate's nominating petition has been  
1029 signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least fifteen per  
1030 cent of the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last  
1031 preceding regular election, the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds  
1032 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
1033 (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same  
1034 office, (B) if said candidate's nominating petition has been signed by a  
1035 number of qualified electors equal to at least twenty per cent of the  
1036 whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last preceding  
1037 regular election, the amount of the grant shall be the same as the  
1038 amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or  
1039 (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, and  
1040 (C) in the case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter, said amounts  
1041 shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

1042 (3) In addition to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this  
1043 subsection, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning  
1044 party candidate and the qualified candidate committee of an eligible



1045 minor party candidate for the office of state senator or state  
1046 representative shall be eligible to receive a supplemental grant from  
1047 the fund after the general election if the treasurer of such candidate  
1048 committee reports a deficit in the first statement filed after the general  
1049 election, pursuant to section 9-333j, and such candidate received a  
1050 greater per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
1051 said office at said election than the per cent of votes utilized by such  
1052 candidate to obtain a general election campaign grant described in  
1053 subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection. The amount of such  
1054 supplemental grant shall be calculated as follows:

1055 (A) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than ten  
1056 per cent, but less than fifteen per cent, of the whole number of votes  
1057 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be  
1058 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference  
1059 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by  
1060 such candidate and ten per cent and the denominator is ten, and (ii)  
1061 two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign grant under  
1062 subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate for the  
1063 same office.

1064 (B) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than fifteen  
1065 per cent, but less than twenty per cent, of the whole number of votes  
1066 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be  
1067 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference  
1068 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by  
1069 such candidate and fifteen per cent and the denominator is five, and  
1070 (ii) one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant  
1071 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate  
1072 for the same office.

1073 (C) The sum of the general election campaign grant received by any  
1074 such candidate and a supplemental grant under this subdivision shall  
1075 not exceed one hundred per cent of the amount of the general election  
1076 campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major  
1077 party candidate for the same office.

1078 (h) For elections held in 2010, and thereafter, the amount of the  
1079 grants in subsections (e), (f) and (g) of this section shall be adjusted by  
1080 the State Elections Enforcement Commission not later than January 15,  
1081 2010, and biennially thereafter, in accordance with any change in the  
1082 consumer price index for all urban consumers as published by the  
1083 United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during  
1084 the period beginning on January 1, 2008, and ending on December  
1085 thirty-first in the year preceding the year in which said adjustment is  
1086 to be made.

1087 (i) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e), (f) and (g) of  
1088 this section, in the case of a special election for the office of state  
1089 senator or state representative, the amount of the grant for a general  
1090 election campaign shall be seventy-five per cent of the amount  
1091 authorized under the applicable said subsection (e), (f) or (g).

1092 (j) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) to (i), inclusive,  
1093 of this section:

1094 (1) The initial grant that a qualified candidate committee for a  
1095 candidate is eligible to receive under subsections (a) to (i), inclusive, of  
1096 this section shall be reduced by the amount of any personal funds that  
1097 the candidate provides for the candidate's campaign for nomination or  
1098 election pursuant to subsection (c) of section 9-710;

1099 (2) If a participating candidate is nominated at a primary and does  
1100 not expend the entire grant for the primary campaign authorized  
1101 under subsection (a), (b), (e) or (f) of this section or all moneys that  
1102 may be received for the primary campaign under section 9-713 or 9-  
1103 714, the amount of the grant for the general election campaign shall be  
1104 reduced by the total amount of any such unexpended primary  
1105 campaign grant and moneys;

1106 (3) If a participating candidate who is nominated for election does  
1107 not have any opponent in the general election campaign, the amount  
1108 of the general election campaign grant for which the qualified  
1109 candidate committee for said candidate shall be eligible shall be thirty

1110 per cent of the applicable amount set forth in subsections (a) to (i),  
1111 inclusive; and

1112 (4) If the only opponent or opponents of a participating candidate  
1113 who is nominated for election to an office are eligible minor party  
1114 candidates or eligible petitioning party candidates and no such eligible  
1115 minor party candidate's or eligible petitioning party candidate's  
1116 candidate committee has received a total amount of contributions of  
1117 any type that is equal to or greater than the amount of the qualifying  
1118 contributions that a candidate for such office is required to receive  
1119 under section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election  
1120 Fund, the amount of the general election campaign grant for such  
1121 participating candidate shall be sixty per cent of the applicable amount  
1122 set forth in this section.

1123 Sec. 20. Subsection (c) of section 9-702 of the 2006 supplement to the  
1124 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1125 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*  
1126 *after said date*):

1127 (c) A candidate participating in the Citizens' Election Program shall  
1128 limit the expenditures of the candidate's candidate committee (A)  
1129 before a primary campaign and a general election campaign, to the  
1130 amount of qualifying contributions permitted in section 9-705 and any  
1131 personal funds provided by the candidate under subsection (c) of  
1132 section 9-710, (B) for a primary campaign, to the sum of (i) the amount  
1133 of such qualifying contributions and personal funds that have not been  
1134 spent before the primary campaign, (ii) the amount of the grant for the  
1135 primary campaign authorized under section 9-705, and (iii) the amount  
1136 of any additional moneys for the primary campaign authorized under  
1137 section 9-713 or 9-714, and (C) for a general election campaign, to the  
1138 sum of (i) the amount of such qualifying contributions and personal  
1139 funds that have not been spent before the general election campaign,  
1140 (ii) any unexpended funds from any grant for a primary campaign  
1141 authorized under section 9-705 or from any additional moneys for a  
1142 primary campaign authorized under section 9-713 or 9-714, (iii) the

1143 amount of the grant for the general election campaign authorized  
1144 under section 9-705, and (iv) the amount of any additional moneys for  
1145 the general election campaign authorized under section 9-713 or 9-714.  
1146 The candidate committee of a minor or petitioning party candidate  
1147 who has received a general election campaign grant from the fund  
1148 pursuant to section 9-705 of the 2006 supplement to the general  
1149 statutes, shall be permitted to receive contributions in addition to the  
1150 qualifying contributions subject to the limitations and restrictions  
1151 applicable to participating candidates for the same office, provided  
1152 such minor or petitioning party candidate shall limit the expenditures  
1153 of the candidate committee for a general election campaign to the sum  
1154 of the qualifying contributions and personal funds, the amount of the  
1155 general election campaign grant received and the amount raised in  
1156 additional contributions that is equivalent to the difference between  
1157 the amount of the applicable general election campaign grant for a  
1158 major party candidate for such office and the amount of the general  
1159 election campaign grant received by such minor or petitioning party  
1160 candidate.

1161 Sec. 21. Subsection (a) of section 9-703 of the 2006 supplement to the  
1162 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1163 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*  
1164 *after said date*):

1165 (a) Each candidate for nomination or election to the office of state  
1166 senator or state representative in 2008, or thereafter, or the office of  
1167 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller,  
1168 Secretary of the State or State Treasurer in 2010, or thereafter, shall file  
1169 an affidavit with the State Elections Enforcement Commission. The  
1170 affidavit shall include a written certification that the candidate either  
1171 intends to abide by the expenditure limits under the Citizens' Election  
1172 Program set forth in subsection (c) of section 9-702, as amended by this  
1173 act, or does not intend to abide by said limits. If the candidate intends  
1174 to abide by said limits, the affidavit shall also include written  
1175 certifications (1) that the campaign treasurer of the candidate  
1176 committee for said candidate shall expend any moneys received from

the Citizens' Election Fund in accordance with the provisions of subsection (g) of section 9-333i, as amended by this act, and regulations adopted by the State Elections Enforcement Commission under subsection (e) of section 9-706, (2) that the candidate shall repay to the fund any such moneys that are not expended in accordance with subsection (g) of said section 9-333i, as amended by this act, and said regulations, (3) that the candidate and the campaign treasurer shall comply with the provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section 9-711, and (4) stating the candidate's status as a major party, minor party or petitioning party candidate and, in the case of a major party or minor party candidate, the name of such party. The written certification described in subdivision (3) of this subsection shall be made by both the candidate and the campaign treasurer of the candidate committee for said candidate. A candidate for nomination or election to any such office shall file such affidavit not later than four o'clock p.m. on the twenty-fifth day before the day of a primary, if applicable, or on the fortieth day before the day of the election for such office, except that in the case of a special election for the office of state senator or state representative, the candidate shall file such affidavit not later than four o'clock p.m. on the twenty-fifth day before the day of such special election.

Sec. 22. Subsection (d) of section 9-706 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

(d) Not later than three business days following receipt of any such application, the commission shall review the application, determine whether (1) the candidate committee for the applicant has received the required qualifying contributions, (2) in the case of an application for a grant from the fund for a primary campaign, the applicant has met the applicable condition under subsection (a) of this section for applying for such grant and complied with the provisions of subsections (b) and (c) of this section, [and at least either one other participating candidate for nomination in the primary, from the same party and for the same

1211 office as the applicant, has also received the required qualifying  
1212 contributions or at least one nonparticipating candidate for nomination  
1213 in the primary, from the same party and for the same office as the  
1214 applicant, has received an amount of contributions equal to the  
1215 amount of such qualifying contributions,] (3) in the case of an  
1216 application for a grant from the fund for a general election campaign,  
1217 the applicant has met the applicable condition under subsection (a) of  
1218 this section for applying for such moneys and complied with the  
1219 provisions of subsections (b) and (c) of this section, and (4) in the case  
1220 of an application by a minor party or petitioning party candidate for a  
1221 grant from the fund for a general election campaign, the applicant  
1222 qualifies as an eligible minor party candidate or an eligible petitioning  
1223 party candidate, whichever is applicable. If the commission approves  
1224 an application, the commission shall determine the amount of the  
1225 grant payable to the candidate committee for the applicant pursuant to  
1226 section 9-705 from the fund, and notify the State Comptroller and the  
1227 candidate of such candidate committee, of such amount. Not later than  
1228 two business days following notification by the commission, the State  
1229 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of  
1230 such amount to the qualified candidate committee from the fund.

1231 Sec. 23. Section 9-712 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes  
1232 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
1233 *December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

1234 (a) (1) If a candidate committee in a primary campaign or a general  
1235 election campaign in which there is at least one participating candidate  
1236 initially makes, or incurs an obligation to make, an expenditure that is  
1237 in excess of ninety per cent of the applicable grant for said  
1238 participating candidate or candidates for said campaign authorized  
1239 under section 9-705, the campaign treasurer of the candidate  
1240 committee making the excess expenditure shall file a supplemental  
1241 campaign finance statement with the State Elections Enforcement  
1242 Commission, not later than forty-eight hours after making or incurring  
1243 said expenditure.

1244 (2) After the initial filing of a statement under subdivision (1) of this  
1245 subsection, the campaign treasurer of the candidate filing the  
1246 statement and [all] the campaign treasurer of all of the opposing  
1247 candidates shall file supplemental campaign finance statements with  
1248 the commission on the following schedule: (A) In the case of a primary  
1249 campaign, on the first Thursday following the date in July on which  
1250 candidates are required to file campaign finance statements pursuant  
1251 to subsection (a) of section 9-333j, as amended, or the first Thursday  
1252 following the supplemental campaign finance statement filed under  
1253 subdivision (1) of this subsection, whichever is later, and each  
1254 Thursday thereafter until the Thursday before the day of the primary,  
1255 inclusive, and (B) in the case of a general election campaign, on the  
1256 first Thursday following the date in October on which candidates are  
1257 required to file campaign finance statements pursuant to subsection (a)  
1258 of section 9-333j, as amended, or the first Thursday following the  
1259 supplemental campaign finance statement filed under subdivision (1)  
1260 of this subsection, whichever is later, and each Thursday thereafter  
1261 until the Thursday before the day of the election, inclusive.

1262 (3) Each supplemental statement required under subdivision (1) or  
1263 (2) of this subsection for a candidate shall disclose the name of the  
1264 candidate, the name of the candidate's campaign committee and the  
1265 total amount of campaign expenditures made or obligated to be made  
1266 by such candidate committee during the primary campaign or the  
1267 general election campaign, whichever is applicable, as of the day  
1268 before the date on which such statement is required to be filed. The  
1269 commission shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the provisions  
1270 of chapter 54, specifying permissible media for the transmission of  
1271 such statements to the commission, which shall include electronic mail.

1272 (b) (1) As used in this subsection, "excess expenditure" means [(A)]  
1273 an expenditure made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating  
1274 or a participating candidate who is opposed by one or more other  
1275 participating candidates in a primary campaign or a general election  
1276 campaign, which is in excess of the amount of the [applicable grant]  
1277 limit on expenditures for said participating candidates for said

1278 campaign authorized under section [9-705] 9-702, as amended by this  
1279 act. [ or (B) an expenditure made, or obligated to be made by a  
1280 participating candidate who is opposed by one or more other  
1281 participating candidates in a primary campaign or a general election  
1282 campaign, which is in excess of the sum of (i) the amount of the  
1283 applicable qualifying contributions that a candidate is required to  
1284 receive under section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens'  
1285 Election Fund, and (ii) the amount of the applicable grant for said  
1286 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-  
1287 705.]

1288 (2) If a candidate committee makes, or incurs the obligation to make,  
1289 an excess expenditure more than twenty days before the day of a  
1290 primary or an election, the campaign treasurer of said candidate shall  
1291 file a declaration of excess expenditures with the commission not later  
1292 than forty-eight hours after making or incurring said expenditure. If  
1293 said candidate committee makes, or incurs the obligation to make, an  
1294 excess expenditure twenty days or less before the day of a primary or  
1295 an election, the campaign treasurer of said candidate shall file such  
1296 declaration with the commission not later than twenty-four hours after  
1297 making or incurring the expenditure.

1298 (3) The commission shall confirm whether an expenditure described  
1299 in a declaration filed under this subsection is an excess expenditure.

1300 (c) If a campaign treasurer fails to file any statement or declaration  
1301 required by this section within the time required, said campaign  
1302 treasurer shall be subject to a civil penalty, imposed by the  
1303 commission, of not more than one thousand dollars for the first failure  
1304 to file the statement within the time required and not more than five  
1305 thousand dollars for any subsequent such failure.

1306 Sec. 24. Section 9-333l of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes  
1307 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
1308 *December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

1309 (a) Any provision of this chapter to the contrary notwithstanding, a



1310 candidate committee may join with one or more candidate committees  
1311 to establish a political committee for the purpose of sponsoring one or  
1312 more fund-raising events for those candidates. Any individual, other  
1313 than a candidate benefited, who is eligible and qualifies to serve in  
1314 accordance with the provisions of subsection (d) of section 9-333h may  
1315 serve as the campaign treasurer or deputy campaign treasurer of such  
1316 a political committee. The statements required to be filed by a political  
1317 committee under this chapter shall apply to any political committee  
1318 established pursuant to this subsection. After all expenses of the  
1319 political committee have been paid by its campaign treasurer for each  
1320 event, he shall distribute all remaining funds from such event to the  
1321 campaign treasurers of each of the candidate committees which  
1322 established the political committee. The distribution to each candidate  
1323 committee shall be made not later than fourteen days after the event,  
1324 either in accordance with a prior agreement of the candidates or, if no  
1325 prior agreement was made, in equal proportions to each candidate  
1326 committee. Any contribution which is made to such political  
1327 committee shall, for purposes of determining compliance with the  
1328 limitations imposed by this chapter, be deemed to have been made in  
1329 equal proportions to each candidate's campaign unless (1) a prior  
1330 agreement was made by the candidates as to the disposition of  
1331 remaining funds, and (2) those who contributed to the political  
1332 committee were notified of such disposition, in which case the  
1333 contribution shall be deemed to have been made to each candidate's  
1334 campaign in accordance with the agreement.

1335 (b) A candidate committee may pay its pro rata share of the  
1336 expenses of operating a campaign headquarters and of preparing,  
1337 printing and disseminating any political communication on behalf of  
1338 that candidate and any other candidate or candidates.  
1339 Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of  
1340 section 9-333r, a candidate committee may reimburse a party  
1341 committee for any expenditure such party committee has incurred for  
1342 the benefit of such candidate committee.

1343 (c) A candidate may make any expenditure permitted by section 9-

1344 333i, as amended by this act, to aid or promote the success of his  
1345 campaign for nomination or election from his personal funds, or the  
1346 funds of his immediate family, which for the purposes of this chapter  
1347 shall consist of the candidate's spouse and issue. Any such expenditure  
1348 shall not be deemed a contribution to any committee.

1349 (d) (1) No incumbent holding office shall, during the three months  
1350 preceding an election in which he is a candidate for reelection or  
1351 election to another office, use public funds to mail or print flyers or  
1352 other promotional materials intended to bring about his election or  
1353 reelection.

1354 (2) No official or employee of the state or a political subdivision of  
1355 the state shall authorize the use of public funds for a television, radio,  
1356 movie theater, billboard, bus poster, newspaper or magazine  
1357 promotional campaign or advertisement, which (A) features the name,  
1358 face or voice of a candidate for public office, or (B) promotes the  
1359 nomination or election of a candidate for public office, during the  
1360 twelve-month period preceding the election being held for the office  
1361 which the candidate described in this subdivision is seeking.

1362 (3) As used in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, "public  
1363 funds" does not include any grant or moneys paid to a qualified  
1364 candidate committee from the Citizens' Election Fund under sections  
1365 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive.

1366 (e) For purposes of this subsection and subsection (f) of this section,  
1367 the exclusions to the term "contribution" in subsection (b) of section 9-  
1368 333b, as amended, shall not apply; the term "state office" means the  
1369 office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State  
1370 Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State; and the term  
1371 "state officer" means the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney  
1372 General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State.  
1373 Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, during  
1374 any regular session of the General Assembly, during any special  
1375 session of the General Assembly held between the adjournment of the

1376 regular session in an odd-numbered year and the convening of the  
1377 regular session in the following even-numbered year or during any  
1378 reconvened session of the General Assembly held in an odd-numbered  
1379 year to reconsider vetoed bills, (1) no lobbyist or political committee  
1380 established by or on behalf of a lobbyist shall make or offer to make a  
1381 contribution to or on behalf of, and no lobbyist shall solicit a  
1382 contribution on behalf of, (A) a candidate or exploratory committee  
1383 established by a candidate for nomination or election to the General  
1384 Assembly or a state office or (B) a political committee (i) established for  
1385 an assembly or senatorial district, (ii) established by a member of the  
1386 General Assembly or a state officer or such member or officer's agent,  
1387 or in consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such  
1388 member, officer or agent, or (iii) controlled by such member, officer or  
1389 agent, to aid or promote the nomination or election of any candidate or  
1390 candidates to the General Assembly or a state office, and (2) no such  
1391 candidate or political committee shall accept such a contribution. The  
1392 provisions of this subsection shall not apply to a candidate committee  
1393 established by a member of the General Assembly or a candidate for  
1394 nomination or election to the General Assembly, at a special election  
1395 for the General Assembly, from the date on which the candidate or the  
1396 chairman of the committee files the designation of a campaign  
1397 treasurer and a depository institution under section 9-333d with the  
1398 Secretary of the State, to the date on which the special election is held,  
1399 inclusive, or to an exploratory committee established by a member of  
1400 the General Assembly to promote his candidacy for an office other  
1401 than the General Assembly.

1402 (f) A political committee established by two or more individuals  
1403 under subparagraph (B) of subsection (3) of section 9-333a, as  
1404 amended, other than a committee established solely for the purpose of  
1405 aiding or promoting any candidate or candidates for municipal office  
1406 or the success or defeat of a referendum question, shall be subject to  
1407 the prohibition on acceptance of lobbyist contributions under  
1408 subsection (e) of this section unless the campaign treasurer of the  
1409 committee has filed a certification that the committee is not established

1410 for an assembly or senatorial district, or by a member of the General  
1411 Assembly or a state officer, or such member or officer's agent, or in  
1412 consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such member,  
1413 officer or agent, or controlled by such member, officer or agent. The  
1414 campaign treasurer of any political committee established by or on  
1415 behalf of a lobbyist shall file a certification to that effect. Such  
1416 certifications shall be filed with the office of the Secretary of the State,  
1417 on forms prescribed by the secretary, on or before November 15, 1994,  
1418 for all such political committees in existence on such date, or upon the  
1419 registration of the committee, and on or before November fifteenth  
1420 biennially thereafter. The secretary shall provide to the State Elections  
1421 Enforcement Commission on or before December 1, 1994, and  
1422 biennially thereafter, a political committee registration report. The  
1423 report shall include a certified copy of each certification filed pursuant  
1424 to this subsection prior to December first of the reporting year and a  
1425 certified copy of a list stating the name of each political committee  
1426 registered pursuant to section 9-333g, as amended, prior to December  
1427 first of the reporting year and the name and address of the campaign  
1428 treasurer of each such committee. In the case of any political committee  
1429 which registers or files a certification on or after December first of any  
1430 even-numbered year but prior to November first of the following  
1431 even-numbered year, the secretary shall provide the commission with  
1432 a copy of each such registration or certification by the close of the next  
1433 business day following receipt. Such registration information or  
1434 certification shall also be included in the biennial political committee  
1435 registration report of the secretary to the commission. The commission  
1436 shall prepare a list of all such committees subject to the prohibitions  
1437 under subsection (e) of this section, according to the certifications filed,  
1438 which shall be available prior to the opening of each regular session of  
1439 the General Assembly, and shall provide a copy of the list to the  
1440 president pro tempore of the Senate, the speaker of the House of  
1441 Representatives, the minority leader of the Senate, the minority leader  
1442 of the House of Representatives and each state officer. During each  
1443 such regular session, the commission shall prepare a supplemental list  
1444 of committees which register after November fifteenth and are subject

1445 to such prohibitions, and the commission shall provide the  
1446 supplemental list to such legislative leaders and state officers. The  
1447 filing of the certification by the campaign treasurer of the committee  
1448 shall not impair the authority of the commission to act under section 9-  
1449 7b, as amended. Any lobbyist or campaign treasurer who acts in  
1450 reliance on such lists in good faith shall have an absolute defense in  
1451 any action brought under subsection (e) and this subsection,  
1452 subsection (c) of section 9-333f, as amended, and subsection (f) of  
1453 section 9-333j, as amended.

1454 (g) Each lobbyist who is an individual and, in conjunction with  
1455 members of his immediate family, makes contributions to or purchases  
1456 from committees exceeding one thousand dollars in the aggregate  
1457 during the twelve-month period beginning July 1, 1993, or July first in  
1458 any year thereafter, shall file a statement, sworn under penalty of false  
1459 statement, with the State Elections Enforcement Commission in  
1460 accordance with the provisions of section 9-333e, as amended, on the  
1461 second Thursday in July following the end of such twelve-month  
1462 period. The statement shall include: (1) The name of each committee to  
1463 which the lobbyist or a member of his immediate family has made a  
1464 contribution and the amount and date of each such contribution; and  
1465 (2) the name of each committee from which the lobbyist or member of  
1466 his immediate family has purchased any item of property or  
1467 advertising space in a program in connection with a fund-raising event  
1468 which is not considered a contribution under subsection (b) of section  
1469 9-333b, as amended, and the amount, date and description of each  
1470 such purchase. Each lobbyist who is an individual and who, in  
1471 conjunction with members of his immediate family, does not make  
1472 contributions to or purchases from committees exceeding one  
1473 thousand dollars in the aggregate during any such twelve-month  
1474 period shall file a statement, sworn under penalty of false statement,  
1475 with the State Elections Enforcement Commission in accordance with  
1476 the provisions of section 9-333e, as amended, on the second Thursday  
1477 in July, so indicating.

1478 (h) No communicator lobbyist, member of the immediate family of a

1479 communicator lobbyist, or political committee established or  
1480 controlled by a communicator lobbyist or a member of the immediate  
1481 family of a communicator lobbyist shall make a contribution or  
1482 contributions to, or for the benefit of (1) an exploratory committee or a  
1483 candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or  
1484 election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney  
1485 General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer, Secretary of the State, state  
1486 senator or state representative, (2) a political committee established or  
1487 controlled by any such candidate, (3) a legislative caucus committee or  
1488 a legislative leadership committee, or (4) a party committee.

1489 (i) [(1)] No communicator lobbyist, immediate family member of a  
1490 communicator lobbyist, agent of a communicator lobbyist, or political  
1491 committee established or controlled by a communicator lobbyist or any  
1492 such immediate family member or agent shall solicit (A) a contribution  
1493 on behalf of a candidate committee or an exploratory committee  
1494 established by a candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant  
1495 Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer,  
1496 Secretary of the State, state senator or state representative, a political  
1497 committee established or controlled by any such candidate, a  
1498 legislative caucus committee, a legislative leadership committee or a  
1499 party committee, or (B) the purchase of advertising space in a program  
1500 for a fund-raising affair sponsored by a town committee pursuant to  
1501 subparagraph (B) of subdivision (10) of section 9-333b.

1502 [(2)] (j) The provisions of [subdivision (1) of this subsection]  
1503 subdivision (1) of subsection (h) of this section and subsection (i) of  
1504 this section shall not apply to the campaign of a communicator  
1505 lobbyist, immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist or  
1506 agent of a communicator lobbyist who is a candidate for public office  
1507 or to an immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist who is  
1508 an elected public official.

1509 [(3)] (k) Any person who violates any provision of [this subsection]  
1510 subsections (h) and (i) of this section shall be subject to a civil penalty,  
1511 imposed by the State Elections Enforcement Commission, of not more

1512 than five thousand dollars or twice the amount of any contribution  
1513 donated or solicited in violation of [this subsection] subsection (h) or  
1514 (i) of this subsection, whichever is greater.

1515 Sec. 25. Section 9-333l of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes,  
1516 as amended by section 526 of this act, is repealed and the following is  
1517 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

1518 (a) Any provision of this chapter to the contrary notwithstanding, a  
1519 candidate committee may join with one or more candidate committees  
1520 to establish a political committee for the purpose of sponsoring one or  
1521 more fund-raising events for those candidates. Any individual, other  
1522 than a candidate benefited, who is eligible and qualifies to serve in  
1523 accordance with the provisions of subsection (d) of section 9-333h may  
1524 serve as the campaign treasurer or deputy campaign treasurer of such  
1525 a political committee. The statements required to be filed by a political  
1526 committee under this chapter shall apply to any political committee  
1527 established pursuant to this subsection. After all expenses of the  
1528 political committee have been paid by its campaign treasurer for each  
1529 event, he shall distribute all remaining funds from such event to the  
1530 campaign treasurers of each of the candidate committees which  
1531 established the political committee. The distribution to each candidate  
1532 committee shall be made not later than fourteen days after the event,  
1533 either in accordance with a prior agreement of the candidates or, if no  
1534 prior agreement was made, in equal proportions to each candidate  
1535 committee. Any contribution which is made to such political  
1536 committee shall, for purposes of determining compliance with the  
1537 limitations imposed by this chapter, be deemed to have been made in  
1538 equal proportions to each candidate's campaign unless (1) a prior  
1539 agreement was made by the candidates as to the disposition of  
1540 remaining funds, and (2) those who contributed to the political  
1541 committee were notified of such disposition, in which case the  
1542 contribution shall be deemed to have been made to each candidate's  
1543 campaign in accordance with the agreement.

1544 (b) A candidate committee may pay its pro rata share of the

1545 expenses of operating a campaign headquarters and of preparing,  
1546 printing and disseminating any political communication on behalf of  
1547 that candidate and any other candidate or candidates.  
1548 Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of  
1549 section 9-333r, a candidate committee may reimburse a party  
1550 committee for any expenditure such party committee has incurred for  
1551 the benefit of such candidate committee.

1552 (c) A candidate may make any expenditure permitted by section 9-  
1553 333i, as amended by this act, to aid or promote the success of his  
1554 campaign for nomination or election from his personal funds, or the  
1555 funds of his immediate family, which for the purposes of this chapter  
1556 shall consist of the candidate's spouse and issue. Any such expenditure  
1557 shall not be deemed a contribution to any committee.

1558 (d) (1) No incumbent holding office shall, during the three months  
1559 preceding an election in which he is a candidate for reelection or  
1560 election to another office, use public funds to mail or print flyers or  
1561 other promotional materials intended to bring about his election or  
1562 reelection.

1563 (2) No official or employee of the state or a political subdivision of  
1564 the state shall authorize the use of public funds for a television, radio,  
1565 movie theater, billboard, bus poster, newspaper or magazine  
1566 promotional campaign or advertisement, which (A) features the name,  
1567 face or voice of a candidate for public office, or (B) promotes the  
1568 nomination or election of a candidate for public office, during the  
1569 twelve-month period preceding the election being held for the office  
1570 which the candidate described in this subdivision is seeking.

1571 (3) As used in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, "public  
1572 funds" does not include any grant or moneys paid to a qualified  
1573 candidate committee from the Citizens' Election Fund under sections  
1574 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive.

1575 (e) For purposes of this subsection and subsection (f) of this section,  
1576 the exclusions to the term "contribution" in subsection (b) of section 9-



1577 333b, as amended, shall not apply; the term "state office" means the  
1578 office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State  
1579 Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State; and the term  
1580 "state officer" means the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney  
1581 General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State.  
1582 Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, during  
1583 any regular session of the General Assembly, during any special  
1584 session of the General Assembly held between the adjournment of the  
1585 regular session in an odd-numbered year and the convening of the  
1586 regular session in the following even-numbered year or during any  
1587 reconvened session of the General Assembly held in an odd-numbered  
1588 year to reconsider vetoed bills, (1) no lobbyist or political committee  
1589 established by or on behalf of a lobbyist shall make or offer to make a  
1590 contribution to or on behalf of, and no lobbyist shall solicit a  
1591 contribution on behalf of, (A) a candidate or exploratory committee  
1592 established by a candidate for nomination or election to the General  
1593 Assembly or a state office or (B) a political committee (i) established for  
1594 an assembly or senatorial district, (ii) established by a member of the  
1595 General Assembly or a state officer or such member or officer's agent,  
1596 or in consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such  
1597 member, officer or agent, or (iii) controlled by such member, officer or  
1598 agent, to aid or promote the nomination or election of any candidate or  
1599 candidates to the General Assembly or a state office, and (2) no such  
1600 candidate or political committee shall accept such a contribution. The  
1601 provisions of this subsection shall not apply to a candidate committee  
1602 established by a member of the General Assembly or a candidate for  
1603 nomination or election to the General Assembly, at a special election  
1604 for the General Assembly, from the date on which the candidate or the  
1605 chairman of the committee files the designation of a campaign  
1606 treasurer and a depository institution under section 9-333d with the  
1607 Secretary of the State, to the date on which the special election is held,  
1608 inclusive, or to an exploratory committee established by a member of  
1609 the General Assembly to promote his candidacy for an office other  
1610 than the General Assembly.

1611 (f) A political committee established by two or more individuals  
1612 under subparagraph (B) of subsection (3) of section 9-333a, as  
1613 amended, other than a committee established solely for the purpose of  
1614 aiding or promoting any candidate or candidates for municipal office  
1615 or the success or defeat of a referendum question, shall be subject to  
1616 the prohibition on acceptance of lobbyist contributions under  
1617 subsection (e) of this section unless the campaign treasurer of the  
1618 committee has filed a certification that the committee is not established  
1619 for an assembly or senatorial district, or by a member of the General  
1620 Assembly or a state officer, or such member or officer's agent, or in  
1621 consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such member,  
1622 officer or agent, or controlled by such member, officer or agent. The  
1623 campaign treasurer of any political committee established by or on  
1624 behalf of a lobbyist shall file a certification to that effect. Such  
1625 certifications shall be filed with the office of the Secretary of the State,  
1626 on forms prescribed by the secretary, on or before November 15, 1994,  
1627 for all such political committees in existence on such date, or upon the  
1628 registration of the committee, and on or before November fifteenth  
1629 biennially thereafter. The secretary shall provide to the State Elections  
1630 Enforcement Commission on or before December 1, 1994, and  
1631 biennially thereafter, a political committee registration report. The  
1632 report shall include a certified copy of each certification filed pursuant  
1633 to this subsection prior to December first of the reporting year and a  
1634 certified copy of a list stating the name of each political committee  
1635 registered pursuant to section 9-333g, as amended, prior to December  
1636 first of the reporting year and the name and address of the campaign  
1637 treasurer of each such committee. In the case of any political committee  
1638 which registers or files a certification on or after December first of any  
1639 even-numbered year but prior to November first of the following  
1640 even-numbered year, the secretary shall provide the commission with  
1641 a copy of each such registration or certification by the close of the next  
1642 business day following receipt. Such registration information or  
1643 certification shall also be included in the biennial political committee  
1644 registration report of the secretary to the commission. The commission  
1645 shall prepare a list of all such committees subject to the prohibitions

1646 under subsection (e) of this section, according to the certifications filed,  
1647 which shall be available prior to the opening of each regular session of  
1648 the General Assembly, and shall provide a copy of the list to the  
1649 president pro tempore of the Senate, the speaker of the House of  
1650 Representatives, the minority leader of the Senate, the minority leader  
1651 of the House of Representatives and each state officer. During each  
1652 such regular session, the commission shall prepare a supplemental list  
1653 of committees which register after November fifteenth and are subject  
1654 to such prohibitions, and the commission shall provide the  
1655 supplemental list to such legislative leaders and state officers. The  
1656 filing of the certification by the campaign treasurer of the committee  
1657 shall not impair the authority of the commission to act under section 9-  
1658 7b, as amended. Any lobbyist or campaign treasurer who acts in  
1659 reliance on such lists in good faith shall have an absolute defense in  
1660 any action brought under subsection (e) and this subsection,  
1661 subsection (c) of section 9-333f, as amended, and subsection (f) of  
1662 section 9-333j, as amended.

1663 [(g) Each lobbyist who is an individual and, in conjunction with  
1664 members of his immediate family, makes contributions to or purchases  
1665 from committees exceeding one thousand dollars in the aggregate  
1666 during the twelve-month period beginning July 1, 1993, or July first in  
1667 any year thereafter, shall file a statement, sworn under penalty of false  
1668 statement, with the State Elections Enforcement Commission in  
1669 accordance with the provisions of section 9-333e, on the second  
1670 Thursday in July following the end of such twelve-month period. The  
1671 statement shall include: (1) The name of each committee to which the  
1672 lobbyist or a member of his immediate family has made a contribution  
1673 and the amount and date of each such contribution; and (2) the name  
1674 of each committee from which the lobbyist or member of his  
1675 immediate family has purchased any item of property or advertising  
1676 space in a program in connection with a fund-raising event which is  
1677 not considered a contribution under subsection (b) of section 9-333b  
1678 and the amount, date and description of each such purchase. Each  
1679 lobbyist who is an individual and who, in conjunction with members

1680 of his immediate family, does not make contributions to or purchases  
1681 from committees exceeding one thousand dollars in the aggregate  
1682 during any such twelve-month period shall file a statement, sworn  
1683 under penalty of false statement, with the State Elections Enforcement  
1684 Commission in accordance with the provisions of section 9-333e, on  
1685 the second Thursday in July, so indicating.]

1686 [(h)] (g) No communicator lobbyist, member of the immediate  
1687 family of a communicator lobbyist, or political committee established  
1688 or controlled by a communicator lobbyist or a member of the  
1689 immediate family of a communicator lobbyist shall make a  
1690 contribution or contributions to, or for the benefit of (A) an exploratory  
1691 committee or a candidate committee established by a candidate for  
1692 nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,  
1693 Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer, Secretary of the  
1694 State, state senator or state representative, (B) a political committee  
1695 established or controlled by any such candidate, (3) a legislative caucus  
1696 committee or a legislative leadership committee, or (4) a party  
1697 committee.

1698 [(i)] (h) No communicator lobbyist, immediate family member of a  
1699 communicator lobbyist, agent of a communicator lobbyist, or political  
1700 committee established or controlled by a communicator lobbyist or any  
1701 such immediate family member or agent shall solicit a contribution on  
1702 behalf of a candidate committee or an exploratory committee  
1703 established by a candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant  
1704 Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer,  
1705 Secretary of the State, state senator or state representative, a political  
1706 committee established or controlled by any such candidate, a  
1707 legislative caucus committee, a legislative leadership committee or a  
1708 party committee.

1709 [(j)] (i) The provisions of subsections [(h)] (g) and [(i)] (h) of this  
1710 subsection shall not apply to the campaign of a communicator lobbyist,  
1711 immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist or agent of a  
1712 communicator lobbyist who is a candidate for public office or to an

1713 immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist who is an  
1714 elected public official.

1715     ~~[(k)]~~ (j) Any person who violates any provision of subsections ~~[(h)]~~  
1716 ~~(g)~~ and ~~[(i)]~~ ~~(h)~~ of this section shall be subject to a civil penalty,  
1717 imposed by the State Elections Enforcement Commission, of not more  
1718 than five thousand dollars or twice the amount of any contribution  
1719 donated or solicited in violation of subsection ~~[(h)]~~ ~~(g)~~ or ~~[(i)]~~ ~~(h)~~ of this  
1720 section, whichever is greater.

1721     Sec. 26. Subsection (i) of section 9-333n of the 2006 supplement to  
1722 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1723 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*  
1724 *after said date*):

1725     (i) The State Elections Enforcement Commission shall study  
1726 subcontracts for state contracts and, not later than February 1, ~~[2007]~~  
1727 2009, submit proposed legislation for extending the provisions of this  
1728 subsection to such subcontracts to the joint standing committee of the  
1729 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to elections.

1730     Sec. 27. Section 49 of public act 05-5 of the October 25 special session  
1731 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
1732 *from passage*):

1733     The State Elections Enforcement Commission shall study and  
1734 prepare a plan that addresses (1) public financing for candidates for  
1735 nomination or election to offices of municipalities, and (2) campaign  
1736 financing restrictions, including, but not limited to, restrictions on the  
1737 sale of advertising space in fund-raising affair programs by candidate  
1738 committees for such candidates and restrictions on contributions to  
1739 such candidates from communicator lobbyists, immediate family  
1740 members of communicator lobbyists, political committees established  
1741 by communicator lobbyists, and principals of contractors or  
1742 prospective contractors. Not later than January 1, ~~[2007]~~ 2009, the  
1743 commission shall submit a report on its findings and  
1744 recommendations, including any necessary legislation, to the joint

1745 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
1746 matters relating to elections.

1747 Sec. 28. Subsection (h) of section 9-333n of the 2006 supplement to  
1748 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1749 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*  
1750 *after said date*):

1751 (h) (1) Not later than July 1, 2006, each state agency and quasi-public  
1752 agency shall prepare and forward to the State Elections Enforcement  
1753 Commission, on a form prescribed by said commission, a list of the  
1754 state contracts for which the agency is a party and a list of the  
1755 principals of state contractors or prospective state contractors for (A)  
1756 such contracts, and (B) any bid solicitations, requests for proposals or  
1757 prequalification certificates issued by the agency. Not later than  
1758 August 1, 2006, and monthly thereafter, each state agency and quasi-  
1759 public agency shall forward to said commission, on a form prescribed  
1760 by the commission, any changes additions or deletions to said lists.  
1761 With the consent of the commission, any state agency may designate  
1762 the commission to obtain such information for the purpose of  
1763 preparing such lists and any changes, additions or deletions thereto.

1764 (2) Not later than December 31, 2006, the State Elections  
1765 Enforcement Commission shall (A) compile a master list of principals  
1766 of state contractors and prospective state contractors for all state  
1767 agencies and quasi-public agencies, based on the information received  
1768 under subdivision (1) of this subsection, (B) publish the master list on  
1769 the commission's Internet web site, and (C) provide copies of the  
1770 master list to campaign treasurers upon request. The commission shall  
1771 update the master list every three months. Any campaign treasurer  
1772 who acts in reliance on such master list in good faith shall have a  
1773 complete defense in any action against the campaign treasurer for  
1774 depositing a contribution in violation of subsection (g) of this section.

1775 Sec. 29. Section 9-713 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes  
1776 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*

1777 *from passage):*

1778 (a) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that  
1779 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating  
1780 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a  
1781 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of  
1782 ninety per cent of the applicable grant for said participating candidates  
1783 for said campaign authorized under section 9-705, the State Elections  
1784 Enforcement Commission shall immediately notify the State  
1785 Comptroller and said participating candidates that additional moneys  
1786 shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for  
1787 the benefit of the candidate committee of each such participating  
1788 candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of the sum of (1)  
1789 the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions that the  
1790 participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-704 to be  
1791 eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2) one  
1792 hundred per cent of such applicable grant. The amount of such  
1793 additional moneys for each such participating candidate shall be  
1794 twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [Not later than two  
1795 business days following notification by the commission, the State  
1796 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of  
1797 said amount to said candidate committees from the Citizens' Election  
1798 Fund.] The [campaign treasurer of each said candidate committee shall  
1799 hold said] additional moneys shall remain in escrow until the  
1800 commission [notifies the campaign treasurer that it has determined]  
1801 processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the State Comptroller's  
1802 accounting system. Any such voucher shall be processed by the  
1803 commission not later than two business days after the commission's  
1804 determination that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or  
1805 incurred the obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in  
1806 excess of one hundred per cent of such applicable grant and the State  
1807 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment,  
1808 by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign account of each  
1809 such participating candidate, not later than three business days after  
1810 receipt of an authorized voucher from the commission. [Any such] The

1811 commission's determination may be made [by the commission] either  
1812 on its own initiative to review the expenditures of the nonparticipating  
1813 candidate or upon request [of] for review by any said participating  
1814 candidate. Upon receipt of any such [notice by a campaign treasurer,]  
1815 additional moneys the participating candidate may spend an amount  
1816 of said moneys equal to the amount of such excess expenditure or  
1817 expenditures. No participating candidate shall receive more than one  
1818 payment of moneys under this subsection for any campaign.  
1819 Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if the State  
1820 Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection from the  
1821 State Elections Enforcement Commission within the seven-day period  
1822 preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys are  
1823 held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of the  
1824 candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the  
1825 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State  
1826 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow  
1827 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such  
1828 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such  
1829 participating candidate.

1830 (b) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that  
1831 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating  
1832 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a  
1833 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of  
1834 one hundred fifteen per cent of the applicable grant for said  
1835 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-  
1836 705, the State Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately  
1837 notify the State Comptroller and said participating candidates that  
1838 additional moneys shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens'  
1839 Election Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of each such  
1840 participating candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of  
1841 the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions  
1842 that the participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-  
1843 704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2)  
1844 one hundred twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. The



1845 amount of such additional moneys for each such participating  
1846 candidate shall be twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [Not  
1847 later than two business days following notification by the commission,  
1848 the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for  
1849 payment of said amount to said candidate committees from the  
1850 Citizens' Election Fund.] The [campaign treasurer of each said  
1851 candidate committee shall hold said] additional moneys shall remain  
1852 in escrow until the commission [notifies the campaign treasurer that it  
1853 has determined] processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the  
1854 State Comptroller's accounting system. Any such voucher shall be  
1855 processed by the commission not later than two business days after its  
1856 determination that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or  
1857 incurred the obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in  
1858 excess of one hundred twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant  
1859 and the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer  
1860 for payment, by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign  
1861 account of each such participating candidate, not later than three  
1862 business days after receipt of an authorized voucher from the  
1863 commission. [Any such] The commission's determination may be  
1864 made [by the commission] either on its own initiative to review the  
1865 expenditures of the nonparticipating candidate or upon request [of] for  
1866 review by any said participating candidate. Upon receipt of any such  
1867 [notice by a campaign treasurer] additional moneys, the participating  
1868 candidate may spend an amount of said moneys equal to the amount  
1869 of such excess expenditure or expenditures. No participating candidate  
1870 shall receive more than one payment of moneys under this subsection  
1871 for any campaign. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if  
1872 the State Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection  
1873 from the State Elections Enforcement Commission with the seven-day  
1874 period preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys  
1875 are held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of  
1876 the candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the  
1877 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State  
1878 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow  
1879 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such

1880 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such  
1881 participating candidate.

1882 (c) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that  
1883 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating  
1884 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a  
1885 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of  
1886 one hundred forty per cent of the applicable grant for said  
1887 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-  
1888 705, the State Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately  
1889 notify the State Comptroller and said participating candidates that  
1890 additional moneys shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens'  
1891 Elections Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of each such  
1892 participating candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of  
1893 the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions  
1894 that the participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-  
1895 704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2)  
1896 one hundred fifty per cent of such applicable grant. The amount of  
1897 such additional moneys for each participating candidate shall be  
1898 twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [Not later than two  
1899 business days following notification by the commission, the State  
1900 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of  
1901 said amount to said candidate committees from the Citizens' Election  
1902 Fund.] The [campaign treasurer of each said candidate committee shall  
1903 hold said] additional moneys shall remain in escrow until the  
1904 commission [notifies the campaign treasurer that it has determined]  
1905 processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the State Comptroller's  
1906 accounting system. Any such voucher shall be processed by the  
1907 commission not later than two business days after its determination  
1908 that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or incurred the  
1909 obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in excess of one  
1910 hundred fifty per cent of such applicable grant and the State  
1911 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment,  
1912 by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign account of each  
1913 such participating candidate, not later than three business days after

1914 receipt of an authorized voucher from the commission. [Any such] The  
1915 commission's determination may be made [by the commission] either  
1916 on its own initiative to review the expenditures of the nonparticipating  
1917 candidate or upon request [of] for review by any said participating  
1918 candidate. Upon receipt of any such [notice by a campaign treasurer]  
1919 additional moneys, the participating candidate may spend an amount  
1920 of said moneys equal to the amount of such excess expenditure or  
1921 expenditures. No participating candidate shall receive more than one  
1922 payment of moneys under this subsection for any campaign.  
1923 Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if the State  
1924 Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection from the  
1925 State Elections Enforcement Commission with the seven-day period  
1926 preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys are  
1927 held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of the  
1928 candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the  
1929 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State  
1930 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow  
1931 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such  
1932 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such  
1933 participating candidate.

1934 (d) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that  
1935 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating  
1936 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a  
1937 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of  
1938 one hundred sixty-five per cent of the applicable grant for said  
1939 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-  
1940 705, the State Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately  
1941 notify the State Comptroller and said participating candidates that  
1942 additional moneys shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens'  
1943 Election Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of each such  
1944 participating candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of  
1945 the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions  
1946 that the participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-  
1947 704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2)

1948 one hundred seventy-five per cent of such applicable grant. The  
1949 amount of such additional moneys for each such participating  
1950 candidate shall be twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [for  
1951 said participating candidates for said campaign authorized under  
1952 section 9-705. Not later than two business days following notification  
1953 by the commission, the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the  
1954 State Treasurer for payment of said amount to said candidate  
1955 committees from the Citizens' Election Fund.] The [campaign treasurer  
1956 of each said candidate committee shall hold said] additional moneys  
1957 shall remain in escrow until the commission [notifies the campaign  
1958 treasurer that it has determined] processes such payment by voucher,  
1959 utilizing the State Comptroller's accounting system. Any such voucher  
1960 shall be processed by the commission not later than two business days  
1961 after its determination that said nonparticipating candidate has made,  
1962 or incurred the obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in  
1963 excess of one hundred seventy-five per cent of such applicable grant  
1964 and the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer  
1965 for payment, by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign  
1966 account of each such participating candidate, not later than three  
1967 business days after receipt of an authorized voucher from the  
1968 commission. [Any such] The commission's determination may be  
1969 made [by the commission] either on its own initiative to review the  
1970 expenditures of the nonparticipating candidate or upon request [of] for  
1971 review by any said participating candidate. Upon receipt of any such  
1972 [notice by a campaign treasurer] additional moneys, the participating  
1973 candidate may spend an amount of said moneys equal to the amount  
1974 of such excess expenditure or expenditures. No participating candidate  
1975 shall receive more than one payment of moneys under this subsection  
1976 for any campaign. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if  
1977 the State Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection  
1978 from the State Elections Enforcement Commission with the seven-day  
1979 period preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys  
1980 are held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of  
1981 the candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the  
1982 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State

1983 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow  
1984 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such  
1985 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such  
1986 participating candidate.

1987 (e) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that  
1988 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a participating  
1989 candidate who is opposed by one or more other participating  
1990 candidates in a primary campaign or a general election campaign,  
1991 which is in excess of the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable  
1992 qualifying contributions that a candidate is required to receive under  
1993 section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund,  
1994 and (2) the amount of the applicable grant for said participating  
1995 candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-705, the State  
1996 Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately notify the State  
1997 Comptroller and said participating candidates that additional moneys,  
1998 equal to the amount of such excess expenditure, shall be [paid to] held  
1999 in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of the  
2000 candidate committee of each such participating candidate who has not  
2001 made such an excess expenditure. [Not later than two business days  
2002 following notification by the commission, the State Comptroller shall  
2003 draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of said amount to  
2004 said candidate committees from the Citizens' Election Fund. A] The  
2005 additional moneys shall remain in escrow until the commission  
2006 processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the State Comptroller's  
2007 accounting system. Any such voucher shall be processed by the  
2008 commission not later than two business days after its determination  
2009 that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or incurred the  
2010 obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in such excess  
2011 amounts. The State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State  
2012 Treasurer for payment, by electronic fund transfer directly into the  
2013 campaign account of each such participating candidate, not later than  
2014 three business days after receipt of an authorized voucher from the  
2015 commission. The commission's determination may be made either on  
2016 its own initiative to review the expenditures of the nonparticipating

2017 candidate or upon request for review by said participating candidate.  
2018 Upon receipt of any such additional moneys, the participating  
2019 candidate may spend an amount of said moneys equal to the amount  
2020 of such excess expenditure or expenditures. No participating candidate  
2021 [may] shall receive more than one payment of moneys under this  
2022 section for any campaign. Notwithstanding the provisions of this  
2023 subsection, if the State Comptroller receives a notice described in this  
2024 subsection from the State Elections Enforcement Commission with the  
2025 seven-day period preceding a primary or an election or if such  
2026 additional moneys are held in escrow within the Citizens' Election  
2027 Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of any such  
2028 participating candidate on the seventh day prior to the day of a  
2029 primary or an election, the State Comptroller (A) shall not hold any  
2030 such additional moneys in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund,  
2031 and (B) shall immediately pay such additional moneys to the candidate  
2032 committee of each such participating candidate.

2033 (f) If, during the ninety-six-hour period beginning at five o'clock  
2034 p.m. on the Thursday preceding the day of a primary or an election,  
2035 the commission receives a notice from a participating candidate that an  
2036 opposing candidate has made or incurred an obligation to make excess  
2037 expenditures that have not yet been reported to the commission, the  
2038 commission shall expeditiously review such notice and notify the State  
2039 Comptroller, who shall immediately [wire or electronically transfer]  
2040 pay moneys from the fund, in the amount of such excess expenditures  
2041 confirmed or estimated by the commission, to the qualified candidate  
2042 committee of said participating candidate or to any person requested  
2043 by the campaign treasurer of said committee.

2044 (g) The maximum aggregate amount of moneys that the qualified  
2045 candidate committee of a participating candidate shall receive under  
2046 subsections (a) to (f), inclusive, of this section for a primary campaign  
2047 or a general election campaign to match excess expenditures by an  
2048 opposing candidate shall not exceed (1) the highest amount of excess  
2049 expenditures by an opposing candidate during said campaign, or (2)  
2050 the amount of the applicable grant authorized under section 9-705 for

2051 said participating candidate for the campaign, whichever is less.

2052 Sec. 30. Subdivision (1) of subsection (e) of section 9-333j of the 2006  
2053 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
2054 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to*  
2055 *elections held on or after said date*):

2056 (1) Notwithstanding any provisions of this chapter, in the event of a  
2057 surplus the campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or of a  
2058 political committee, other than a political committee formed for  
2059 ongoing political activities or an exploratory committee, shall  
2060 distribute or expend such surplus not later than ninety days after a  
2061 primary which results in the defeat of the candidate, an election or  
2062 referendum not held in November or by January thirty-first following  
2063 an election or referendum held in November, in the following manner:

2064 (A) Such committees may distribute their surplus to a party  
2065 committee, or a political committee organized for ongoing political  
2066 activities, return such surplus to all contributors to the committee on a  
2067 prorated basis of contribution, distribute all or any part of such surplus  
2068 to the Citizens' Election Fund established in section 9-701 or distribute  
2069 such surplus to any charitable organization which is a tax-exempt  
2070 organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of  
2071 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the  
2072 United States, as from time to time amended, provided (i) no candidate  
2073 committee may distribute such surplus to a committee which has been  
2074 established to finance future political campaigns of the candidate,  
2075 [and] (ii) a candidate committee which received moneys from the  
2076 Citizens' Election Fund shall distribute such surplus to such fund, and  
2077 (iii) a candidate committee for a nonparticipating candidate, as  
2078 described in subsection (b) of section 9-703, may only distribute any  
2079 such surplus to the Citizens' Election Fund or to a charitable  
2080 organization;

2081 (B) Each such political committee established by an organization  
2082 which received its funds from the organization's treasury shall return

2083 its surplus to its sponsoring organization;

2084 (C) (i) Each political committee formed solely to aid or promote the  
2085 success or defeat of any referendum question, which does not receive  
2086 contributions from a business entity or an organization, shall distribute  
2087 its surplus to a party committee, to a political committee organized for  
2088 ongoing political activities, to a national committee of a political party,  
2089 to all contributors to the committee on a prorated basis of contribution,  
2090 to state or municipal governments or agencies or to any organization  
2091 which is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the  
2092 Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding  
2093 internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time  
2094 amended. (ii) Each political committee formed solely to aid or promote  
2095 the success or defeat of any referendum question, which receives  
2096 contributions from a business entity or an organization, shall distribute  
2097 its surplus to all contributors to the committee on a prorated basis of  
2098 contribution, to state or municipal governments or agencies, or to any  
2099 organization which is tax-exempt under said provisions of the Internal  
2100 Revenue Code. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, a  
2101 committee formed for a single referendum shall not be required to  
2102 expend its surplus not later than ninety days after the referendum and  
2103 may continue in existence if a substantially similar referendum  
2104 question on the same issue will be submitted to the electorate within  
2105 six months after the first referendum. If two or more substantially  
2106 similar referenda on the same issue are submitted to the electorate,  
2107 each no more than six months apart, the committee shall expend such  
2108 surplus within ninety days following the date of the last such  
2109 referendum;

2110 (D) The campaign treasurer of the candidate committee of a  
2111 candidate who is elected to office may, upon the authorization of such  
2112 candidate, expend surplus campaign funds to pay for the cost of  
2113 clerical, secretarial or other office expenses necessarily incurred by  
2114 such candidate in preparation for taking office; except such surplus  
2115 shall not be distributed for the personal benefit of any individual or to  
2116 any organization; and



2117 (E) The campaign treasurer of a candidate committee, or of a  
2118 political committee, other than a political committee formed for  
2119 ongoing political activities or an exploratory committee, shall, prior to  
2120 the dissolution of such committee, either (i) distribute any equipment  
2121 purchased, including, but not limited to, computer equipment, to any  
2122 recipient as set forth in subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, or (ii) sell  
2123 any equipment purchased, including but not limited to computer  
2124 equipment, to any person for fair market value and then distribute the  
2125 proceeds of such sale to any recipient as set forth in said subparagraph  
2126 (A).

2127 Sec. 31. Section 1-84b of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes  
2128 is amended by adding subsection (k) as follows (*Effective July 1, 2006*):

2129 (NEW) (k) No former Governor shall accept employment or act as a  
2130 registrant pursuant to the provisions of this chapter, for one year after  
2131 leaving state service, on behalf of any business that received a contract  
2132 with any department or agency of the state during such Governor's  
2133 term. No business shall employ a former Governor in violation of this  
2134 subsection.

2135 Sec. 32. Subsection (k) of section 1-84k of the 2006 supplement to the  
2136 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
2137 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

2138 (k) No public official, spouse of the Governor or state employee  
2139 shall accept a fee or honorarium for an article, appearance or speech, or  
2140 for participation at an event, in the public official's, spouse's or state  
2141 employee's official capacity, provided a public official, Governor's  
2142 spouse or state employee may receive payment or reimbursement for  
2143 necessary expenses for any such activity in his official capacity. If a  
2144 public official, Governor's spouse or state employee receives such a  
2145 payment or reimbursement for lodging or out-of-state travel or both,  
2146 the official, Governor's spouse or employee shall, not later than thirty  
2147 days thereafter, file a report of the payment or reimbursement with the  
2148 commission, unless the payment or reimbursement is provided by the

2149 federal government or another state government. If a public official,  
 2150 Governor's spouse or state employee does not file such report within  
 2151 such period, either intentionally or due to gross negligence on the  
 2152 public official's, Governor spouse's or state employee's part, the public  
 2153 official, Governor's spouse or state employee shall return the payment  
 2154 or reimbursement. If any failure to file such report is not intentional or  
 2155 due to gross negligence on the part of the public official, Governor's  
 2156 spouse or state employee, the public official, Governor's spouse or  
 2157 state employee shall not be subject to any penalty under this chapter.  
 2158 When a public official, Governor's spouse or state employee attends an  
 2159 event in this state in the public official's, Governor's spouse's or state  
 2160 employee's official capacity and as a principal speaker at such event  
 2161 and receives admission to or food or beverage at such event from the  
 2162 sponsor of the event, such admission or food or beverage shall not be  
 2163 considered a gift and no report shall be required from such official,  
 2164 spouse or employee or from the sponsor of the event."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-168d(b)
Sec. 2	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-388
Sec. 3	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-391
Sec. 4	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-404a
Sec. 5	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-390(d)
Sec. 6	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-400(a) and (b)
Sec. 7	<i>January 1, 2007</i>	9-405(a)
Sec. 8	<i>from passage</i>	9-249
Sec. 9	<i>from passage</i>	9-211
Sec. 10	<i>from passage</i>	9-450(3)
Sec. 11	<i>from passage</i>	9-46a(a) and (b)
Sec. 12	<i>from passage</i>	9-212
Sec. 13	<i>from passage</i>	9-450(1)
Sec. 14	<i>from passage</i>	9-183a(a)
Sec. 15	<i>from passage</i>	9-333i(g)(2)
Sec. 16	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	New section

Sec. 17	<i>from passage</i>	9-717
Sec. 18	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on and after said date</i>	9-333j(c)
Sec. 19	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-705
Sec. 20	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-702(c)
Sec. 21	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-703(a)
Sec. 22	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-706(d)
Sec. 23	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-712
Sec. 24	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-333l
Sec. 25	<i>October 1, 2007</i>	9-333l
Sec. 26	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-333n(i)
Sec. 27	<i>from passage</i>	PA 05-5 of the October 25 Sp. Sess., Sec. 49
Sec. 28	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-333n(h)
Sec. 29	<i>from passage</i>	9-713
Sec. 30	<i>December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date</i>	9-333j(e)(1)
Sec. 31	<i>July 1, 2006</i>	1-84b
Sec. 32	<i>from passage</i>	1-84k(k)